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DIGEST OF PUBLIC LAW 135

LABOR-FEDERAL SECURITY APPROPRIATION ACT, 1944. Appropriates funds for administration of the Fair Labor Standards Act and the Public Contracts Act, liquidation of the Civilian Conservation Corps (authorizing transfer of camps and equipment to other Federal agencies, with or without reimbursement), Food and Drug Administration (including enforcement of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act; the Tea Importation Act; and the Filled Milk Act), further endowment of colleges of agriculture and mechanics, vocational education and rehabilitation, education and training of defense workers (including \$12,500,000 for vocational courses in food production and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and farm-labor training at less than college grade), Social Security Board, community war services, and the War Manpower Commission.

INDEX AND SUMMARY OF HISTORY ON H. R. 2935

Pages refer to debate in bound Volumes of
Congressional Record. Vol. 89, Pts. 5-6.

April 12, 1943	Hearings: House, Parts 1, 2, and 3.
June 14, 1943	House Appropriations Committee reported H. R. 2935 and House Report 540. Print of the bill and report as reported. Also Committee print of the bill and report.
June 15, 1943	Began House debate. pp. 5907-5931.
June 16, 1943	House concluded the debate and passed the bill with amendments. pp. 5947-5965.
June 18, 1943	Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations. Print of the bill as referred to the Committee.
June 19, 1943	Hearings: Senate, H. R. 2935.
June 24, 1943	Senate Committee reported H. R. 2935 with amendments. Senate Report 342. Print of the bill as reported with Senate amendments.
June 26, 1943	Senate began debate. Truman amendment. pp. 6562-6582.
June 28, 1943	Debate continued. pp. 6595-6616, 6617-6624, 6625-6641, 6642.
June 29, 1943	Debate concluded. Passed Senate with amendments. Senate Conferees appointed. Print of the bill with the amendments of the Senate numbered. pp. 6696-97.
June 30, 1943	House agrees to conference. pp. 6839. House received first Conference Report. House Report 623.
July 1, 1943	House agreed to Conference Report and acted on items in disagreement. House appointed conferees for further conference. pp. 6940-49, 6949-69.
July 2, 1943	Senate receives first conference report. pp. 7017-19, 7021-7035.
July 3, 1943	Senate disagrees to Conference Report and appointed Conferees for further conference. pp. 7081-89.
July 8, 1943	Second Conference Report, House Report 698, received in House. House adhered to its disagreement. p. 7501. Senate receded from its amendment #24. pp. 7467-68.
July 12, 1943	Approved. Public Law 135.

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78TH CONGRESS } HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES { REPORT
1st Session } No. —

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY,
AND RELATED INDEPENDENT OFFICES APPROPRIA-
TION BILL, FISCAL YEAR, 1944

JUNE 14, 1943.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state
of the Union and ordered to be printed

Mr. HARE, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the
following

REPORT

[To accompany H. R. —]

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report
in explanation of the accompanying bill making appropriations for
the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
independent agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944.

APPROPRIATIONS AND ESTIMATES

The Budget estimates of appropriations forming the basis of con-
sideration for committee action will be found in the Budget for the
fiscal year 1944 on the pages indicated in the following table:

Department or agency:	Pages upon which estimates appear in 1944 Budget
Department of Labor.....	567 to 581, inclusive
Federal Security Agency.....	127 to 173, inclusive
Employees' Compensation Commission.....	58 to 61, inclusive
National Labor Relations Board.....	88 to 89, inclusive
National Mediation Board.....	89 to 90, inclusive
Railroad Retirement Board.....	91 to 94, inclusive
War Manpower Commission.....	House Doc. 173

Supplemental estimates submitted since the regular Budget are
included in House Documents 134, 160, 168, 177, 191, 195, and 200.

GENERAL ANALYSIS

The bill carries total direct appropriations of \$1,127,362,499. This sum is \$73,293,524 less than the appropriations, \$1,200,656,023, for 1943, and \$76,668,611 less than the Budget estimates, \$1,204,031,110, for 1944. A detailed comparison of the amounts carried in the bill, the Budget estimates and the appropriations for 1943 by items will be found in appendix E on page 26 of this report.

National defense items.—A number of the items carried in the bill are for the support of national defense activities and a detailed statement of these items will be found in appendix A on page 23 of this report. The total carried for national defense purposes, \$297,026,300, is \$46,412,700 less than the Budget estimates, \$343,439,000, for 1944, and a decrease of \$52,372,217 under the appropriations, \$349,398,517, for 1943.

Mandatory items.—Many of the items in the bill are for grants to States for cooperation in programs which have been established under law and for other purposes, costs of which are determined by operation of the various statutes involved and over which it is possible to exercise little or no control. A detailed statement of these items will be found in appendix B on page 24 of this report. The committee has studied these items carefully and made reductions wherever possible. Severe cuts, however, cannot be made unless the Congress should determine to amend the basic statutes. The amount for such items carried in the bill, \$740,815,000, is a reduction of \$25,128,000 in the Budget estimate, \$765,943,000, for 1944, and a decrease of \$20,541,000 under the appropriations, \$761,356,000, for 1943.

Eliminating the funds for national defense, \$297,026,300, and the funds for mandatory items, \$740,815,000, or a total of \$1,037,841,300, from the aggregate of the bill, \$1,127,362,499, leaves a net of \$89,521,199, which represents the funds appropriated for administrative expenses and for the cost of directing Federal activities which is subject to some control. This represents a reduction of \$1,652,824 below the Budget estimate. It should also be noted that much of the amount for administrative expenses is for the cost of administration of the mandatory items referred to above. It would be poor economy indeed, and would cost the Government money in the long run to provide inadequate funds for administration of these large programs. For example, the Social Security Board is operating the largest insurance business in the history of the world. The committee has made some reductions in the estimates for administrative expenses of the Board but has not found it possible materially to change them, as to do so would provide such inadequate management services as to cause the Government substantial losses.

IMPOUNDMENT OF FUNDS BY THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET

The Bureau of the Budget has followed the practice in connection with the items for the agencies appropriated for in this bill, as in the case of other agencies of the Government, of impounding certain portions of appropriations. The committee, in reporting the Federal Security appropriation bill for 1943 made a reduction in the general appropriation for printing and binding, but stated that the allocation for printing and binding for the Office of Education should not be reduced below the amount proposed in the Budget estimate. This

action was not disturbed by subsequent legislative procedures and it was clearly the intent of the Congress that the Office of Education should have the full amount of the allocation. Subsequent to enactment of the law the Bureau of the Budget placed a reserve against the appropriation for printing and binding for the Federal Security Agency which resulted in a reduction in the allocation for printing and binding for the Office of Education in the amount of \$8,871, and this fund was withheld from expenditure. The committee considers this and other similar actions by the Bureau of the Budget in past years an unwarranted exercise of authority and does not believe that the Bureau of the Budget should have such authority if it is to be used directly to thwart the will of the Congress. Therefore, the committee has inserted a provision, section 804 of the bill, to prevent any agency or official other than the head of a department or independent establishment to which the appropriation is made, from impounding or withholding from obligation any part of any appropriation carried in the act.

DEPARTMENTAL JUSTIFICATION STATEMENTS

The Labor Department, Federal Security Agency, and the National Labor Relations Board have made marked improvement over previous years in the explanatory notes in justification of the estimates submitted to the committee. The adequacy of the information supplied, coupled with the brevity of the statements and the uniformity of style which has been adopted, have greatly facilitated the work of the committee. The War Manpower Commission submitted voluminous and involved statements which were difficult to analyze and which required a great deal of time on the part of the committee. It is suggested that in the preparation of future budget data the responsible officials of the Commission give attention to eliminating unnecessary matter and to preparing all justifications on a uniform basis.

SPECIAL RULE FOR CONSIDERATION IN THE HOUSE

Inasmuch as a number of items in the bill are not authorized by law, it will be necessary to secure a special rule waiving points of order if the House is to give consideration to these items. The committee will make the usual request to the Committee on Rules for a rule. It has been necessary for a period of years to secure such a rule but if any activity is to be continued on more than a temporary emergency basis it should have legislative authority and the committee desires to give notice that it will not, after this year, request a rule waiving points of order on appropriations for the agencies involved.

TITLE I.—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

The amount recommended for the Department is \$27,325,050, which is \$1,566,670 more than the current appropriations and \$3,402,750 less than the total Budget estimates. Included in the total for 1944 is the sum of \$15,200,000 for grants to States for maternal and child health, aid to crippled children, child welfare, and emergency maternity and infant care for wives and children of men in the armed forces. The remainder of the total, \$12,125,050, represents all other expenses of administration and operation of the other functions of the Department and its bureaus.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

The amount carried in the bill, \$352,000, is a reduction of \$34,000 under the Budget estimate, \$386,000, and a reduction of \$34,000 under comparable appropriations, \$386,125, for 1943. On account of reductions in other items for the Department of Labor, which will lessen to some degree the necessity for supervisory functions in the Office of the Secretary, this reduction should not interfere with necessary work to be performed. Of the amount in this item, \$102,000 was estimated for the Personnel Division, and reductions in salary items for the Department should reflect a direct reduction in the volume of personnel work.

OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR

The bill provides \$715,000, a reduction of \$126,000 in the Budget estimate, and \$126,532 in comparable appropriations for 1943. A table of work-load statistics, which appears on page 35 of the hearings, indicates a marked decrease in volume of work handled by the office. It will be noted that in the fiscal year 1941, 1,690 civil cases for injunction were instituted, while in the fiscal year 1942, 1,193 such cases were instituted, and in the first 6 months of 1943, 320 cases, or at the rate of 640 per year, were filed. Other classes of work have also materially reduced and the trend, generally, is downward. The reduction, therefore, which approximates 15 percent, should not interfere with the handling of necessary work.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES

A reduction of \$15,450 below the Budget estimate of \$182,000 has been effected. The amounts allowed for the various activities in the Department are set forth in the following table:

Office of the Secretary.....	\$30, 500
Office of the Solicitor.....	9, 000
Division of Labor Standards.....	5, 000
Conciliation Service.....	4, 550
Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	52, 000
Children's Bureau.....	20, 000
Women's Bureau.....	4, 000
Wage and Hour Division.....	11, 500
Total.....	166, 550

The reduction below the estimate is commensurate with reductions in salary items for the various bureaus.

TRAVEL EXPENSES

A reduction of \$140,000 below the Budget estimate, \$1,232,000, has been effected. The amounts allowed for the various activities of the Department are set forth in the following table:

Office of the Secretary.....	\$13, 600
Office of Solicitor.....	51, 000
Division of Labor Standards.....	19, 000
Conciliation Service.....	169, 000
Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	98, 000
Children's Bureau.....	151, 800
Women's Bureau.....	22, 000
Wage and Hour Division.....	567, 600
Total.....	1, 092, 000

The reduction below the estimate is commensurate with reductions in salary items for the various bureaus.

PRINTING AND BINDING

The bill provides \$263,500, a reduction of \$20,500 below the Budget for printing and binding. The amounts allowed for the various activities of the Department are set forth in the following table:

Office of the Secretary.....	\$13, 700
Office of the Solicitor.....	6, 800
Division of Labor Standards.....	9, 000
Conciliation Service.....	600
Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	95, 600
Children's Bureau.....	78, 000
Women's Bureau.....	12, 000
Wage and Hour Division.....	48, 500
Total.....	263, 500

The reduction is commensurate with the reductions in other items in the bill. However, while the amount allowed for printing for the Children's Bureau is \$8,000 less than the amount proposed in the Budget, and \$10,400 less than the amount appropriated for 1943, the Bureau, in absorbing the reduction, will not reduce the number of the publications, Infant Care and Prenatal Care, printed for distribution. These are very useful and popular publications and the maximum number should be made available.

WORKING CONDITIONS SERVICE

A supplemental estimate in the amount of \$1,142,000 to provide a Working Conditions Service in the Division of Labor Standards was submitted in House Document 160. The entire amount was disallowed by the committee. According to the testimony of the Secretary of Labor and representatives of the Department, the purpose of the appropriation was to attack the problem of absenteeism in industry. While the committee recognizes the seriousness of the situation, it is not convinced that an appropriation in the amount proposed would be of material assistance. Practically every bureau of the Department in its appearance before the committee referred to its activities in meeting the absentee situation. Information before the committee indicates that other agencies of the Government are also engaged in activity along similar lines. While the committee has approved the appropriations for the Division of Labor Standards for its work in connection with improvement of health and safety of employees in industry, it has not been impressed with the accomplishments of the Division in that field and it does not appear that the very worth-while objective sought would be attained by giving the Division of Labor Standards additional funds.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

The regular annual item, \$1,100,000, is approved in the full amount of the estimate and the original Budget estimate, \$862,000, for national defense activities of this Bureau, is approved in full. A supplemental estimate for national defense activity in the amount of \$363,000 is reduced to \$300,000. The supplemental estimate

included \$55,000 for a survey of the cost of living in the territories. The committee does not believe this survey should be conducted unless the cost thereof can be absorbed by the reduction of other activities.

CHILDREN'S BUREAU

Maternity and infant care (national defense).—The committee has approved \$4,000,000 of the estimate of \$4,800,000 for the maternity care of the wives and infants of men in the armed forces. There is no means of accurately determining the amount which will be required for this purpose. The estimate was calculated to provide care for all births of children of men in the armed services in the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh pay grades which it is reasonable to expect will occur during the fiscal year, but there is no reason to suppose that it will be necessary to provide assistance in all cases. The language of the appropriation as submitted would have restricted such assistance to the wives and infants of enlisted men in the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh pay grades. However, the evidence indicates that there are certain hardship cases in the first, second, and third pay grades which are just as appealing as those in the lower pay grades, and the committee has stricken from the paragraph the provision which would prevent aid to the first three pay grades. In expending the appropriation, first consideration should be given to the lower four pay grades, but the Department should render assistance where circumstances require, to wives of men in the first three pay grades. The amount appropriated should be sufficient to care for all needs.

Fair Labor Standards Act.—The amount carried in the bill, \$200,000, is a reduction of \$53,000 below the Budget estimate, and \$51,660 below the appropriation for 1943. In view of the fact that this statute has been in force for a period of 4 years and it is no longer necessary to carry on the amount of educational work as was necessary in earlier years, the amount allowed should be sufficient to provide all services necessary to proper enforcement.

Maternal and child welfare.—The bill provides \$350,000, a reduction of \$28,000 below the estimate and \$25,795 below the 1943 appropriation, for salaries and expenses in administering the maternal and child welfare program. Three appropriations for grants to States—maternal and child welfare service, \$5,820,000; services for crippled children, \$3,870,000, and child welfare services, \$1,510,000—are administered under this appropriation. These three appropriations are in the same amounts as have been appropriated for the past 4 years. As the program progresses, it should be possible to reduce the amount necessary for administrative expenses.

In connection with the appropriation bills for 1942 and 1943, the committee called attention to the action of the Children's Bureau in discriminating between persons licensed under State law to practice healing arts. The committee has been repeatedly assured by the Department that proper steps would be taken to obviate any discrimination but to date no definite action in that direction has been taken. The Children's Bureau has now arranged to have a study made to determine the relative merits of various types of schools giving instruction in healing arts. This is a matter which, in the

judgment of the committee, lies entirely within the jurisdiction of the States. The States have established standards for licensing health practitioners and the Federal Government has never attempted to establish such standards. In the judgment of the committee, the Children's Bureau has not the power under law either to establish such standards or to question the standards established by the States. It is not the desire of the committee, of course, to permit the use of Federal funds to break down safeguards against the practice of healing arts by improperly and inadequately trained persons, but the committee does believe that the State laws and standards constitute the necessary protection for the public. Therefore, the committee has included in the bill a provision denying the use of the appropriation to promulgate or carry out any order, instruction, or regulation which has for its purpose the discrimination between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

During the past year the Wage and Hour Division and Division of Public Contracts have been consolidated under the title of Wage and Hour Division. The Wage and Hour Division previously was charged only with enforcement of the Fair Labor Standards Act, and the Division of Public Contracts was charged with the enforcement of the Walsh-Healey Act, relating to labor standards and the working conditions of employees of private industry engaged on Government contracts. In 1941 the Committee on Appropriations suggested in its report on the Labor Department appropriation bill that these two divisions should be consolidated as their work was so similar and so often overlapped that overhead expenses involved in maintaining two separate organizations should be eliminated. This consolidation has now been accomplished and the estimates for 1944 were submitted on that basis. The previous Division of Public Contracts carried two appropriations, a regular annual item in the amount of \$264,600, and a national defense item in the amount of \$155,000. The estimates consolidated the regular item with the items for salaries and expenses of the Wage and Hour Division but proposed to continue the national defense item in the amount of \$141,000.

The estimate for salaries, Wage and Hour Division, is \$4,500,000. The committee has reduced the item to \$3,750,000; has eliminated the national-defense item, \$141,000; and has reduced the item for miscellaneous expenses from a Budget estimate of \$280,000 to \$250,000. The laws enforced by this division have now been in effect for a period of approximately 4 years. Labor unions and industry, generally, are now entirely familiar with their provisions, and in the judgment of the committee, it is now possible to eliminate much of the work which was necessary during the first few years to acquaint employers with their responsibilities, and employees with their rights and privileges under the law. The reduction which has been made will leave a sufficient amount of money to investigate all complaints of violation and to make enough spot-check investigations to learn what degree of compliance is being maintained.

TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

The amount recommended for the Federal Security Agency is \$672,842,380, which sum is \$92,746,996 less than the current appropriations and \$39,643,930 under the budget estimates.

CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

The 1943 Appropriation Act provided for liquidation of the Civilian Conservation Corps, and carried an appropriation of \$8,000,000 for the purpose. Of this amount approximately \$1,500,000 will be returned to the Treasury. The business of the Corps has been wound up in a highly satisfactory fashion, its property disposed of expeditiously, and its records collated for historical purposes in a remarkably efficient manner. Mr. McEntee, the Director of the Corps, who managed the liquidation, is to be highly commended for the very businesslike manner in which he has proceeded.

It has not been possible, however, to dispose of all camp sites and there remain a number of complex problems requiring attention. At the suggestion of Mr. McEntee, who has already left the service, the committee is reappropriating \$20,000 to the Office of the Federal Security Administrator for use during 1944 in disposing of these remaining matters.

Inasmuch as the Civilian Conservation Corps Act expires on June 30, 1943, it is necessary to extend the authority of the act for one more year for the purposes of liquidation. The provision for reappropriation carried in the bill includes a clause for this purpose but it restricts its application to the function of liquidation during 1944.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

The appropriation for enforcement operations of the Food and Drug Administration, \$2,200,000, is \$123,580 below the Budget estimate, and below the appropriation for 1943. Inasmuch as the Army, the Navy, and the Lend-Lease Administration are inspecting all foods purchased by those branches of the Government—and they represent a large part of the total food production of the country—it is the judgment of the committee that the remaining inspection services necessary can be carried on with the reduced amount of money provided in the bill.

FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

The appropriations for Freedmen's Hospital totaling \$686,000, are in the amounts submitted in the Budget estimate. In connection with the appropriation bill for 1943, the committee called attention to numerous evidences of irregularities and inadequate administrative control of the affairs of the institution. In the past year the Dean of the Medical College at Howard University has been designated to serve also as superintendent of the hospital and the committee is glad to note some improvement in the management of the business affairs of the hospital, particularly in connection with the collection of bills. A larger proportion of patients in the hospital are now pay patients, or at least part-pay patients, but it appears there is room for further improvement in this direction. After inquiry into the

administrative affairs of the hospital, it is the judgment of the committee that, in addition to those consummated, certain adjustments in personnel should be made, looking toward the procurement of the most competent persons available for certain key positions.

The estimate provided for reimbursement at the rate of \$6,200 per annum by the hospital to Howard University so long as the Dean of the School of Medicine of the University serves as superintendent of the hospital. This provision has been stricken from the bill, as it would appear that the two positions are of such importance and require such close attention to detail, that one man should not attempt to serve in both capacities. This action is in no way a reflection on the present dean of the medical school and superintendent, who appears to be well qualified for either position.

HOWARD UNIVERSITY

The amount provided for salaries, \$591,240, is a reduction of \$6,760 below the Budget estimate, and an increase of \$3,440 above current year appropriations. The amount of the increase is the amount necessary to carry on an annual basis the salaries of certain personnel provided on a part-year basis in a deficiency appropriation act for 1943. The additional increase, which was denied by the committee, contemplated the employment of new personnel, but in view of the fact that college enrollments are generally lower than in years past, and the prospect is that the same situation will obtain during the next year, the committee felt that it was not justified in granting increased personnel at this time.

OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Salaries.—The amount carried in the bill, \$294,400, is a reduction of \$29,600 under the Budget estimate, \$324,000, and \$5,600 under the appropriation for 1943. Inasmuch as the Office of Education has a large item for salaries and expenses for emergency work necessary under the war program, it is the judgment of the committee that no increase in the regular item should be provided at this time. Adjustments in this item should be left for consideration at the conclusion of the war period when the normal activities of the office, which are rather largely dislocated by wartime activity can be restudied. The amount of \$5,600, a reduction below 1943, is the salary of the Director of the Adult and Civic Education Unit. In a deficiency bill for 1942, the Office of Education sought an appropriation to carry on a Forum Advisory Service. An estimate for this purpose was also submitted in connection with the regular bill for 1943. Both items were denied by the Congress. However, it appears that the Adult and Civic Education Unit is carrying on the functions which were proposed to be carried on by the Forum Advisory Service had it been allowed. The description of the duties of the Assistant to the Director of the Unit, as set forth in a Civil Service Commission Classification Sheet for that position, includes the following:

Under general supervision of the Director of the Forum Advisory Service; to act as the latter's assistant and also to be responsible for developing the publications program of the Service.

The name of the Division shown on this classification sheet was originally shown as "Forum Advisory Service". This title was crossed out and "Adult and Civic Education" inserted.

The salary of this position, \$3,800, and that of the third position in the Unit, \$1,620, are paid out of the appropriation for salaries, Vocational Education, and these amounts have been eliminated from that item. Appropriations for the operation of a Forum Advisory Service, have now been denied three times and the committee desires to state emphatically that this activity must be abolished.

In the appropriation bill for 1943 a reduction below 1942 appropriations was effected. However, the committee is informed that the Office of Education did not abolish a single position to absorb that reduction, but merely carried vacancies as they occurred for a sufficient length of time to absorb the full amount. In presenting the estimates for 1944 an amount was included to restore this reduction without showing any new positions therefor. The committee does not consider the practice followed by the Office of Education as compliance with the mandate of Congress. When reductions are made below current levels the Congress contemplates that the agencies involved will reduce the number of positions to such number as can be carried on an annual basis within the limits of available funds. In applying the reductions in items for 1944 the Office of Education will adjust its organization so as to include only such positions as can be paid for on an annual basis with the money available.

Defense training.—The appropriations for defense training by the Office of Education in the appropriation bill for 1943 provided for supervision and direction by the Federal Security Administrator. Subsequent to enactment of the law certain training activities of various agencies of the Government were transferred by Executive order to the War Manpower Commission, and in connection with such transfer supervision of defense training functions of the Office of Education was vested in the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission. While the change did not appear to be particularly important in view of the fact that the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission and the Federal Security Administrator were one and the same individual, the fact is that supervision of the defense training functions of the Office of Education was vested in the Bureau of Training in the War Manpower Commission. In order that the training programs might be properly integrated and coordinated, the Bureau of Training in the War Manpower Commission should have some voice in the type of training to be carried on by the Office of Education, but it is not necessary that the Bureau of Training have general supervision and control over the Office of Education in order to attain the proper degree of coordination. The Budget estimates for 1944 contemplated supervision and direction by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission rather than the Federal Security Administrator, and the committee has amended the language of the appropriating paragraph in order to provide for general supervision and direction by the Federal Security Administrator and give the War Manpower Commission authority to determine the types of courses.

Training of defense workers.—The amount carried in the bill, \$90,000,000, is \$10,000,000 less than the Budget estimate, and \$14,000,000 less than the amount provided for 1943. In making the reduction it is not the purpose of the committee to reduce the training program so long as it is necessary to continue to train new workers. However, the peak of production in many lines is being reached rapidly. As these

goals are attained the number of new workers to be trained must of necessity decline. Furthermore, as the end of the war approaches, certain lines of manufacturing will be curtailed sharply and the number of workers reduced on that account. The impact of these reductions on the labor market will be reflected immediately in the necessity for training courses of the type herein provided. It is not now possible to predict accurately the number of persons necessary to be trained in 1944. If, in order to maintain production schedules, it is necessary to keep the training program proceeding at full capacity during the entire fiscal year, the \$90,000,000 allowed by the committee will not be sufficient, and it will be necessary to consider a deficiency appropriation.

College short courses.—The amount recommended, \$25,000,000, is a reduction of \$5,000,000 under the Budget estimate and under the amount appropriated for 1943. This appropriation is intended to defray the expense of giving additional training and refresher courses to engineers, chemists, physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to the national defense. It has been in operation for 2 years and it should now be possible to begin curtailment of this type of training, inasmuch as defense industry is rapidly approaching peak production. With the attainment of peak production, requirements for additional persons in these technical fields will be reduced and \$25,000,000 should provide all of this type of training required in 1944.

Visual aids for war training.—The amount recommended, \$2,000,000, is an increase of \$1,000,000 above the appropriation for 1943, and a reduction of \$462,000 below the Budget estimate. Under the plans adopted by the Office of Education the appropriation is used to pay the cost of producing the master film. Copies of the master film are sold at a price which covers only the cost of making the copy. There appears to be no justification for selling these films at less than the total cost of production, and the committee has included a provision in the bill requiring that the price be fixed at a rate which will reimburse the Government for all its expenses in connection therewith.

Rural war training.—This appropriation, in the amount of \$12,500,000, is an increase of \$1,000,000 above the Budget estimate, and a reduction of \$2,500,000 below the appropriation for 1943. The language of the appropriating paragraph has been redrafted to provide for training of all available persons in rural areas for all types of necessary work in connection with food production, and to protect the control of the program by the vocational-school systems.

Loans to students.—In the 1943 appropriation act a fund of \$5,000,000 was provided for loans to students of engineering, physics, chemistry, medicine, and dentistry whose technical or professional education could be completed within 2 years. Of this amount slightly less than \$3,000,000 will have been expended at the end of the fiscal year. No estimate for a similar program in 1944 was included in the Budget, but the committee, feeling that the program should be carried an additional year to enable those students who were beneficiaries of loans in 1943 but whose courses will not be completed until 1944, has included a provision reappropriating the unexpended balance and making it available under the same terms and on the same conditions as the original appropriation, except that it will be available only for students whose education can be completed in 1 year.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Training for nurses.—The full amount of the estimate, \$3,500,000, is approved. The language of the appropriating paragraph has been amended to provide for use of the fund for the purposes of the so-called Bolton bill (H. R. 2664), if and when it is enacted into law. The amount of the appropriation will make only a small beginning on the program authorized by the Bolton bill and the Surgeon General was requested to advise the committee as to probable requirements. After discussing the matter with the Surgeon General the committee has determined to delay consideration of the matter until final plans can be formulated and accurate estimates submitted.

Prevention of epidemics.—The amount of the appropriation, \$300,480, is a reduction of \$10,520 below the Budget estimate and an increase of \$101,700 above current year appropriations. However, the amount of the appropriation is an actual reduction below amounts available for 1943, in the amount of \$14,020. The item, as contained in the 1943 appropriation act did not include funds for the control of typhus fever, for which \$168,000 was allocated from the appropriation for emergency health and sanitation. The Budget for 1944 consolidated this allocation with the appropriation for prevention of epidemics and in so doing effected a reduction in the amount for typhus fever control. In order that there might be no question that adequate funds were provided for the control of this very serious disease, the committee asked the Public Health Service to restudy the matter and advise the committee as to what steps should be taken to insure proper measures of protection against the spread of typhus fever. After reviewing the situation, the Public Health Service recommended to the committee the further reduction of \$10,520, which has been imposed.

Emergency health and sanitation activities.—The amount of the Budget estimate, \$9,729,000, an increase of \$316,500 over current year appropriations, is approved. This item provides for control of diseases and for other measures designed to protect the health of both the civilian population and military personnel in critical defense areas. A supplemental estimate in the amount of \$175,000, for the relocation of physicians in order to provide medical service in communities where there is an inadequate supply of doctors, has been rejected by the committee. The estimate contemplated the relocation of 35 physicians who would be moved at Government expense from their present places of residence to places of more critical need and compensated at the rate of \$250 per month for a period of 3 months, and for the location of 35 commissioned officers of the Public Health Service in other similar areas. The committee is well aware that the shortage of physicians in many sections of the country is acute, but considers any program which would provide for the services of only 70 physicians as so ineffective and inadequate as to be unjustifiable. The committee is willing to give consideration to any type of program which the Public Health Service may suggest to meet the need in a more adequate manner, but does not feel justified in recommending to the House the expenditure of funds to embark on a program which is so patently ineffective.

Maintenance of hospitals.—The amount recommended, \$10,510,700, is an increase of \$138,000 above the Budget estimate and a reduction of \$383,250 in the total appropriations for the current year. The

increase in the Budget estimate is to provide for the cost of the ration in hospitals at present levels. When the estimate was prepared last fall, the ration cost was \$0.53 per day, while it is now in excess of \$0.58 per day. The estimated additional cost on this account is \$138,000, and the committee has included it. The present patient load of these hospitals is growing and it is not now possible to predict what the average will be throughout the entire fiscal year 1944. There is little doubt that the amount carried in the bill will be insufficient to provide the necessary services for these hospitals, which care for members of the Coast Guard and the merchant marine but there is no justification for appropriating an additional amount until experience furnishes a more accurate gauge of the total requirements.

National Institute of Health.—The amount provided, \$2,025,020, is an increase of \$1,264,020 in the Budget estimate and an increase of \$1,281,620 in the appropriation for 1943. The increase above the Budget is accounted for in the transfer of that amount from the appropriation "Disease and sanitation investigations." The work of the National Institute of Health has been financed heretofore with its own appropriation and appropriations for disease and sanitation investigations. After inquiry into the allocation of funds from this latter appropriation, the committee has eliminated it from the bill; transferred \$1,264,020 to the appropriation for the National Institute of Health; transferred \$21,680 to the Division of Mental Hygiene, which Division has had charge of that phase of work paid for from the appropriation for disease and sanitation investigations; and has included a new appropriation in the amount of \$306,800—formerly a part of the appropriation for disease and sanitation investigations—entitled "States Relations Division." This appropriation is the cost of administrative services in connection with grants to States under title 6 of the Social Security Act. In making these adjustments no reduction has been effected in Budget estimates; it is merely for the purpose of appropriating funds in such manner as to accord with the organizational units in the Public Health Service.

ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

The appropriation, \$1,963,000, is the same amount as the Budget estimate and is an increase of \$544,700 in the appropriations for 1943. St. Elizabeths Hospital furnishes treatment for mental patients from all branches of the armed services and other persons who constitute a charge upon the Federal Government, and the increase in funds for 1944 is due to the large increase in the number of persons in the armed services. It should be noted that while there is an increase of approximately 34 percent in funds, the patient load will have increased 42½ percent on July 1, 1944, as compared to July 1, 1943.

SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

Old-age assistance.—The bill provides \$325,000,000 as compared with a Budget estimate of \$338,000,000 for 1944, and an appropriation of \$329,000,000 for 1943. Of the 1943 appropriation, it is anticipated there will be an unexpended balance of at least 10 percent. While there is a slight increase in the average amount paid to each recipient, there is a decline in the number of persons receiving benefits from this appropriation, and it is the judgment of the committee that

the amount carried in the bill will be sufficient. It should be noted, however, that the Federal Government is obligated under the Social Security Act to pay its share of these benefits and if the amount appropriated is less than the amount required a deficiency appropriation will be made and no reduction in benefits will result from reducing the appropriation.

Aid to dependent children.—The amount provided, \$65,000,000 is \$3,000,000 less than the Budget estimate and \$13,000,000 less than the appropriations for 1943. There is a marked reduction in the number of beneficiaries under this program, as well as in the old-age assistance program, and an unexpended balance of \$10,000,000 in the 1943 appropriation is anticipated. Like the old-age assistance program, the Federal Government is obligated under the Social Security Act to meet its share of the requirements of these cases in whatever amount is necessary and no reduction in benefits will be brought about by the reduction in the appropriation.

Unemployment Compensation Administration.—The committee has approved \$30,000,000, a reduction of \$7,328,000 below the Budget estimate. With the present high rate of employment in the country, a marked decline in the number of unemployment compensation cases is being experienced and the reduction imposed should not interfere with the proper administration of the act.

The attention of the committee has been called to the fact that the Social Security Board exercises very close and immediate supervision over the activities of the various State unemployment compensation commissions in selecting their personnel. Under the law, no State is eligible for a Federal grant for administrative expenses unless the employees whose compensation is to be paid from such funds are appointed in accordance with a merit system provided for in a State statute approved by the Social Security Board. It appears that the Board exercises control beyond the purpose of the act in maintaining a degree of day-to-day supervision which is not necessary to good administration, and which serves only to harass and impede the State agencies. The committee has inserted a provision, which appears on page 52, of the bill, to prohibit this type of activity.

Salaries, Social Security Board.—The amount allowed, \$3,250,000, is a reduction of \$50,000 below the Budget, \$3,300,000, and \$227,860 below the appropriation for 1943. The small reduction below the Budget can well be absorbed by the Informational Service and the Office of the Executive Director.

Miscellaneous expenses.—The amount carried in the bill, \$3,000,000, is a reduction of \$147,000 below the Budget estimate and \$53,500 below the appropriation for 1943. At the present rate of expenditure, an unexpended balance of something like \$200,000 will remain in the 1943 appropriation; so the amount provided in the bill should be sufficient for 1944.

Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance Bureau.—The appropriation, \$17,000,000, is \$590,000 below the Budget estimate and \$300,000 below the current year appropriation. However, on account of inability to keep positions filled, the Bureau will absorb a large portion of the cost of the Overtime Pay Act in 1943. The same situation will obtain in 1944 and the appropriation will supply sufficient funds to meet requirements.

COMMUNITY WAR SERVICES

The appropriation, \$1,670,000, is a reduction of \$383,000 below the Budget and \$100,390 below the 1943 appropriation. This office was known as the Office of Defense Health and Welfare until it was transferred by Executive Order No. 9338 to the Federal Security Agency. Of the several divisions in the organization, the most efficient and most useful work is being done by the Social Protection Division, which is cooperating with other Federal, State, and local agencies in the effort to control the spread of venereal disease. The Recreation Section, while it has, no doubt, done a measure of good in its field, is not as necessary as Social Protection. The Health and Medical Committee, a small organization, does not appear to have been worth the cost to date, and offers little hope of being worth its cost in the future. The committee has included no funds for the Health and Medical Committee for 1944, and suggests that any work of this type deemed necessary be undertaken by the Public Health Service within the limits of its present appropriation. It also appeared in the hearings that the Community War Services is paralleling the activity of the Public Health Service in connection with determining need for water supply and sewage-disposal systems to be paid for with Lanham Act funds for defense areas. It is very necessary that the Public Health Service render opinions on these projects, and there is no reason why the Community War Services should also have a voice. The committee has included no funds for this type of activity in 1944. A substantial increase in staffing for regional offices is proposed in the Budget. The Recreation Section and the Social Protection Section, the two largest operating units, each have their own field organizations in addition to the regional offices. The remainder of the reduction below the estimate after the elimination of the Health and Medical Committee, and the activity in connection with the Lanham Act cases, is to be absorbed entirely by the Recreation Section and regional offices.

To avoid establishment of duplicate activities the office of Community War Services will utilize the services of the Personnel Division, Budget Division, Chief Clerk's office, general counsel's office, and other service divisions of the agency for all possible services and allot necessary funds for such purposes to the proper divisions. In order that segregation of funds for defense and regular activities in these divisions may be maintained the Agency will submit the cost of these functions for subsequent years in the estimates for Community War Services and not in the items for the regular functions of the Agency.

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Salaries.—The appropriation, \$146,000, is a reduction of \$3,230 in the Budget estimate and the current year appropriations. The reduction is effected by eliminating two positions, one in grade CAF-2 and one in CAF-12, totaling in excess of \$6,000, which is partially offset by an increase of \$3,000 in the salary of the Administrator so long as the incumbent of the position is also Chairman of the War Manpower Commission. The salaries of the heads of all other war-time emergency agencies have been fixed at \$15,000 per annum, and if the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission held only that

position his salary would be at the rate of \$15,000. As he also is Administrator of the Federal Security Agency, the salary of which is \$12,000, he is limited by law to \$12,000.

General Counsel.—The amount allowed, \$531,380, is a reduction of \$31,620 in the Budget estimate and \$16,620 in the original appropriation for 1943. However, the reduction in 1943 appropriations is the amount of funds transferred to the War Manpower Commission in 1943, so the general counsel will have available in 1944 for comparable activity the same amount as was available in 1943.

TRAVELING EXPENSES

The amount appropriated, \$1,629,000, is a reduction of \$138,590 in the estimate and a reduction of \$132,942 in the current appropriations. After accounting for transfers to other activities the amount of the appropriation is \$100,000 below the appropriation for comparable items for 1943. The Social Security Board has not expended the full amount of its allotment for 1943 and \$80,000 of the reduction can be absorbed by the Board without reducing the amount of travel below 1943 levels. The remaining \$20,000 will be prorated by the Administrator among the various constituent organizations.

TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses, national defense.—The direct appropriation in the bill, \$25,000, is a reduction of \$150,000 below the Budget estimate. However, an unexpended balance of \$150,000 of the 1943 appropriation is reappropriated, so the amount available for 1944 is the same as for 1943. For the past 2 years the Congress has provided the Commission with funds to administer the law making the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Act applicable to military, air, and naval bases outside the continental limits of the United States, but to date no appreciable expenditure of such funds has been made. There never has been and is not now a means of gaging accurately the work load resulting from such activity and it is not possible to say whether all of the amount provided will be required.

Employees' compensation fund.—The number of cases of injury to employees who are covered by the various acts administered by the Commission has been largely increased by increased industrial activity and the present rate of expenditure indicates that the amount of the Budget estimate, \$6,850,000 will be considerably less than the total amount required for 1944, but until such time as it is possible to estimate the total accurately the committee does not feel warranted in increasing the appropriation.

Employees' compensation fund, emergency relief, etc.—For several years the Employees' Compensation Commission has had available several funds to pay benefits to persons entitled thereto under various acts related to the Work Projects Administration, Civilian Conservation Corps, National Youth Administration, etc. In the fiscal year 1943, the balances of these funds plus an additional amount of \$2,500,000 were appropriated. For 1944 the Budget estimate proposed to consolidate the unexpended balances and appropriate \$1,800,000. The unexpended balance in the fund as of July 1, 1943, will be slightly in excess of the expenditures during 1943, and will

remain available for 1944. Officials of the Commission, after rechecking the item, have advised the committee that in their judgment it will not be necessary to provide additional funds, and therefore the direct appropriation of \$1,800,000 has been eliminated.

The Civilian Conservation Corps is currently paying for the hospitalization of 21 former Civilian Conservation Corps enrollees who are entitled to such hospitalization only under authority of the Civilian Conservation Corps Act. With the termination of the Corps no appropriation would be available to pay the cost of their continued treatment and unless some provision is made for them by the Federal Government these young men must be turned out in such physical condition as to be unable to care for themselves and with no resources. One of them is and has for some time been in an iron lung. If he is removed he will live only a matter of hours. The committee took up the matter with the Employees Compensation Commission and was informed that the Commission could absorb the cost of treatment within the appropriations to be provided in this bill if given authority of law to do so. A provision to meet this appealing situation has been included.

TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

The estimates for the National Labor Relations Board were submitted in approximately the same amounts as the appropriations for 1943. However, inasmuch as the work load of the Board has decreased approximately 10 percent and the trend is downward at present, the committee has reduced the various items 10 percent. In view of the reduced work load, these reductions should not interfere with the effective administration of the act.

TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

The amount provided for salaries, \$1,706,769, is a reduction of \$323,231 in the Budget estimate, and \$671,231 in the appropriation for 1943. After the estimate was submitted and legislation providing for overtime pay for Government employees was enacted, the Board revised its schedules and reported to the committee that it was in a position to absorb the entire amount of overtime cost for both 1943 and 1944 within the limits of its original estimates. All agencies of the Government will be required to submit to the Bureau of the Budget estimates of the amounts required for overtime, and appropriations for the entire Government service have been made on that basis. The Bureau of the Budget will review each appropriation to determine what amount should be absorbed and what additional appropriation will be required. In order that the Railroad Retirement Board appropriation might be made on the same basis as the remainder of the Government agencies, the committee has eliminated the cost of overtime as computed by the Board and appropriated the amount which the Board states will be required to meet its salary costs as provided in the Classification Act without taking into account the question of overtime pay.

The Board will submit an estimate for overtime pay to the Bureau of the Budget and the committee believes that, in view of the fact the Board has proposed to absorb the whole burden of overtime within

its original estimate, the Bureau of the Budget should make a very careful study of the requirements of the Board, with a view to eliminating surplus positions and reducing the salary rolls wherever possible.

TITLE VII—WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

OFFICES OF THE COMMISSION

The amount recommended for the War Manpower Commission, including all of its constituent agencies is \$150,852,300, which sum is \$25,935,877 less than the 1943 total and \$30,977,700 less than the Budget estimates.

The amount recommended, \$9,994,800, is a reduction of \$2,182,200 below the Budget estimate, \$12,177,000, and an increase of \$562,796 above the appropriation, \$9,432,004, for 1943. The following tabulation, which includes the salary item for each operating unit on a gross annual cost basis, is a comparison between the Budget estimates and the amounts approved by the committee:

	Estimated	Recommended in bill	Decrease (—)
PERSONAL SERVICES (ANNUAL BASIS)			
Office of the chairman and consultants.....	\$130,710	\$130,710	-----
Office of the Executive Director.....	1,062,188	1,062,188	-----
Bureau of Program Requirements.....	678,880	340,000	—\$338,880
Bureau of Placement.....	1,778,442	1,656,022	—122,420
Bureau of Manpower Utilization.....	667,120	600,000	—67,120
Bureau of Training.....	203,760	100,000	—103,760
Field operations.....	5,356,440	4,356,440	—1,000,000
Consultants and temporaries.....	47,560	47,560	-----
Total, personal services.....	9,925,100	8,292,920	—1,632,180
Amount to be absorbed through lapses.....	—725,601	—725,621	—20
Net total, personal services.....	9,199,499	7,567,299	—1,632,200
OTHER OBLIGATIONS			
Travel.....	1,398,214	1,098,214	—300,000
Transportation of things.....	63,000	63,000	-----
Communication services.....	403,984	253,984	—150,000
Rents and utility services.....	521,471	471,471	—50,000
Printing and binding.....	193,400	193,400	-----
Other contractual services.....	66,932	66,932	-----
Supplies and materials.....	237,400	217,400	—20,000
Equipment.....	93,100	63,100	—30,000
Total, other obligations.....	2,977,501	2,427,501	—550,000
Grand total.....	12,177,000	9,994,800	—2,182,200

Salaries; Bureau of Program Requirements.—The Bureau of Program Requirements is engaged in collecting statistics on labor supply and labor needs for the use of the Commission in determining its policies. The type of work carried on is very similar to and in some cases appears to be a duplication of the work of the Bureau of Labor Statistics in the Department of Labor. The Bureau of Labor Statistics, in addition to its regular functions for the Department of Labor, also works for other agencies of the Government, including the National War Labor Board, the Office of Price Administration, the War Production Board, and others, which agencies have found it more economical and satisfactory to utilize the services of a well organized, experienced bureau than to establish new organizations of their own. The War Manpower Commission can secure the necessary

data just as satisfactorily and more economically from the Bureau of Labor Statistics than through the operation of its own separate bureau.

The committee has allowed \$340,000, approximately one-half of the amount recommended in the Budget. The committee has provided this amount for securing of necessary statistical data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and has included no funds for the operation of the Bureau of Program Requirements in the Manpower Commission.

It will not be possible, of course, to close the Bureau immediately at the beginning of the fiscal year but it should be closed and its functions transferred to the Bureau of Labor Statistics as rapidly as possible.

Bureau of Placement.—The estimate contemplated the establishment under the Bureau of Placement of a Nursing Supply and Distribution Division, at a cost of \$197,420, to handle all recruitment of nurses for the armed services, and assist in distribution of available nurses best to serve the civilian population, as well as the armed services. This type of activity is now being carried on by the Procurement and Assignment Service, which has jurisdiction over doctors, dentists, veterinarians, and sanitary engineers. It is the judgment of the committee that the Procurement and Assignment Service can take care of the nursing situation as well as the other professional groups referred to and the entire appropriation for the Nursing Supply and Distribution Division is therefore eliminated. The allotment for the Procurement and Assignment Service is increased by \$75,000 on this account, leaving a net reduction of \$122,420.

Salaries, Bureau of Manpower Utilization.—This Bureau is charged with responsibility for assisting industries engaged on war contracts in making the most economical use of available manpower. Much of its work is accomplished through services of leading industrialists who serve the Government without compensation. The Director of the Bureau has expressed some difficulty in securing the type of personnel required for salaried positions and \$600,000, the amount approved by the committee, a reduction of \$67,120 below the Budget, should be sufficient.

Salaries, Bureau of Training.—The Bureau of Training is responsible for developing unified programs and policies to meet training needs of wartime employment. It is purely a policy-making agency and has no action programs to administer as each of the training programs is administered by a separate organization—N. Y. A., Training Within Industry Service, and Apprentice Training Service—each of which is a complete operating unit, staffed and equipped to render all necessary service in connection with its own activities. Each has its own professional staff to plan the program within the policies laid down by the Bureau of Training, and each has its own field representatives. The Bureau of Training, therefore, requires only a small organization to handle general policy matters largely to insure coordination between the operating agencies and to prevent overlapping. The amount allowed in the bill, \$100,000, will be sufficient for this purpose.

Salaries, field operations.—The Manpower Commission has established 12 regional offices and 125 area offices. The Budget estimate contemplated additional staff in the regional offices and the establishment of 66 additional area offices. The committee has endeavored to

ascertain the distribution of functions and responsibilities among the Washington office, the regional and area offices and the local offices of the employment service but finds the picture thoroughly confusing. The establishment of additional field offices, in the judgment of the committee, would serve only to provide further confusion. Rather than to increase the number of offices, the Commission should give attention to more efficient operation of its existing offices and to clarification of its management methods. The amount allowed is a reduction of \$1,000,000 below the Budget estimate and an increase of \$183,020 above current year appropriations. The increase will provide such additional staff as may be necessary in the regional offices, but the committee has disapproved all funds for the establishment of additional offices of any kind in the field service.

Other obligations.—The estimates for the Commission for travel, communications and expenses other than salaries, were based on more or less arbitrary figures, as the Commission has not been in operation a sufficient length of time to have gained experience on which to base accurate estimates. Many of these items appeared to the committee to have been extravagantly estimated and reductions have been made accordingly, as detailed in the foregoing table.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

The estimate included \$55,390,000 for a youth work-training program, an increase of \$5,661,000 above the appropriation for the current year. It is estimated that approximately \$5,000,000 of the 1943 appropriation will remain unexpended, leaving a gross expenditure for 1943 of less than \$45,000,000. The committee has approved a direct appropriation of \$35,000,000, and the reappropriation of the unexpended balance of the 1943 appropriation, or a total of approximately \$40,000,000 for 1944. As the war progresses and production goals are attained the number of persons to be trained must of necessity, be reduced, and it is the judgment of the committee that the amount provided in the bill will supply the required amount to train all persons who will be required by industry in 1944. The authority contained in the appropriating language has been amended to authorize the National Youth Administration to train the employees of industry and these employees will receive no compensation from the National Youth Administration during their period of training. On this account the amount appropriated will provide training for a larger number than would have been possible with the same amount under the 1943 act.

The same restrictions as to wages to be paid trainees, and conditions of employment, are continued for 1944 in generally the same terms as for 1943. The most significant exception is in the case of the age restriction. The 1943 act limited the use of the facilities of National Youth Administration to training of persons between the ages of 16 and 24. This provision is continued for 1944, with the exception that the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission may issue exemptions when, in his judgment, the extension of such employment and work training to other persons is essential.

Student-aid program.—In 1943, \$5,000,000 was provided for the employment on a part-time basis of needy students in colleges and universities, and \$3,000,000 was appropriated for part-time employment

of needy high school students. Of this appropriation, something in excess of \$1,000,000 will remain unexpended. The high school program does not appear to have been so successful, but there does appear to be a real need for the continuation of assistance to college students. The committee has therefore included a direct appropriation of \$3,000,000 and a reappropriation of not to exceed \$1,000,000 of the unexpended balance for continuance of student aid for colleges and universities.

The colleges are very insistent that some action must be taken to insure continued enrollments or the end of the war will find a large number of the educational institutions of the country closed and in such financial distress as to be unable to reopen. The committee is informed that the Bureau of Training in the Manpower Commission is sponsoring an endeavor to secure an appropriation of some \$50,000,000 to make outright grants to students enabling them to stay in school. A majority of the members of the committee favor rendering some assistance to the colleges, but feel that the part-time employment program of the National Youth Administration is preferable to the outright grant program sponsored by the Bureau of Training and have included this amount in lieu of other programs. The committee desires that the Administrator shall give preference wherever possible to students preparing for the teaching profession as the need for teachers is acute and no other aid is rendered to persons in that field.

APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

Two appropriations for apprentice training service, a regular annual item and a national defense item, are carried in the bill, in a total amount of \$1,015,500, a reduction of \$143,390 under current year appropriations, and a reduction of \$399,500 under the Budget estimates. The training of apprentices requires a longer period of time than other types of training and in the judgment of the committee should be subordinated to types of training which will put workers in the line of production in a shorter period of time.

TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

The amount allowed in the bill, \$1,686,000, is an increase of \$541,000 above current year appropriations, and a reduction of \$405,000 below the Budget estimate. This organization has experienced considerable difficulty in securing proper types of personnel to carry on its training program and has not been able to proceed as rapidly as was contemplated. The amount approved should be adequate.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE SERVICES AND FACILITIES

The amount approved, \$45,500,000, is a reduction of \$10,027,000 below the Budget estimate and a reduction of \$2,369,283 below current year appropriations. There is every reason to believe that before the close of 1944 the number of placements will be materially reduced for two reasons. First, various industries engaged in war production are rapidly reaching peak levels of employment, where no additional personnel will be required. Second, all available workers are so rapidly being absorbed by industry that whatever jobs may be available the Employment Service will not have registrants for them. In

addition, the War Manpower Commission has issued certain directives and regulations tending to curtail the shifting of workers from one job to another. Furthermore, much of the recruitment of farm labor is now being handled by the Department of Agriculture under a separate appropriation and the Employment Service is relieved of that burden. The committee believes that the Service should avoid entering the field of placement of teachers as that field is well served by private facilities. In the light of all these circumstances, the committee is convinced that it will not be necessary to maintain the employment offices at the same level as 1943.

LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS

Legislative provisions and limitations not heretofore carried in an appropriation bill are printed here for information of the House:

Page 7, line 20, in connection with appropriations for the Children's Bureau:

Provided, That no part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation which discriminates between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

On page 13, line 6, in connection with appropriation for liquidation of the Civilian Conservation Corps:

Provided further, That for the purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liquidation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such Corps by such Act.

On page 51, line 22, in connection with appropriations for the Federal Security Agency:

The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and printing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suitable titles and shall be available for the same purposes and subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from which transferred: Provided, That balances of any amounts so transferred, or any part of such balances, shall, upon request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appropriations for traveling expenses and printing and binding, Federal Security Agency.

None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the Social Security Board for grants-in-aid of State agencies to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said agencies of any States which have established by legislative enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Act and have in operation a merit system and classification and compensation plan covering the selection, tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, because of any disapproval of their personnel, or the manner of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the rates of pay of said officers or employees.

On page 55, line 17, in connection with appropriations for the Employees' Compensation Commission:

Provided, That the Commission shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment and burial expenses, including transportation and other expenses incidental to such services, treatment, and burial, to such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hospital services and treatment at Government expense on June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7, 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services, treatment, and expenses.

On page 77:

SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after cessation of hostilities in the present war.

SEC. 804. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be impounded or withheld from obligation or expenditure by any agency or official other than the head of the department or independent establishment to which such appropriation is made.

APPENDIX A.—National defense items

Department and item	Appropriation for 1943	Estimate for 1944	Amount recommended in bill for 1944
Department of Labor:			
Labor Standards, Division of: Safety and health program, national defense.....	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000
Conciliation, commissioners of, national defense.....	1,370,635	1,559,800	1,500,000
Labor Statistics, Bureau of, national defense.....	900,518	1,225,000	1,162,000
Wage and Hour Division, national defense.....	155,000	141,000	-----
Working conditions.....	-----	1,142,000	-----
Total, Department of Labor.....	2,576,153	4,217,800	2,812,000
Federal Security Agency:			
Office of Education:			
Vocational education:			
Defense training:			
Vocational education of defense workers, national defense.....	104,000,000	100,000,000	90,000,000
Short college courses, national defense.....	30,000,000	30,000,000	25,000,000
Loans to students, national defense.....	5,000,000	-----	(1)
Salaries and expenses, loans, national defense.....	100,000	-----	-----
Vocational courses, out-of-school rural youth, national defense.....	15,000,000	11,500,000	12,500,000
Salaries and expenses (national defense).....	1,240,000	1,300,000	1,100,000
Visual aids for war training.....	1,000,000	2,462,000	2,000,000
Total, Office of Education.....	156,340,000	145,262,000	130,600,000
Public Health Service:			
Training for nurses, national defense.....	3,500,000	3,500,000	3,500,000
Salaries and expenses (national defense).....	50,000	50,000	50,000
Emergency health and sanitation activities (national defense).....	9,412,500	9,904,000	9,729,000
Total, Public Health Service.....	12,962,500	13,454,000	13,279,000
Office of Community War Services.....	2,440,000	2,053,000	1,670,000
Total, Federal Security Agency.....	171,742,500	160,769,000	145,549,000
Employees' Compensation Commission: Military bases.....	175,000	175,000	25,000
National Labor Relations Board: Salaries and expenses (national defense).....	692,840	665,000	600,000
Office for Emergency Management:			
War Manpower Commission.....	176,788,177	181,830,000	150,852,300
Grand total.....	349,398,517	343,439,000	297,026,300

¹ Reappropriation of approximately \$2,000,000 unexpended balance.

APPENDIX B.—*Appropriations for uncontrollable grants-in-aid and other mandatory items*

Department and item	Appropriation for 1943	Estimate for 1944	Amount recommended in bill for 1944
Department of Labor:			
Children's Bureau:			
Grants to States:			
Maternal and child health.....	\$5,820,000	\$5,820,000	\$5,820,000
Crippled children.....	3,870,000	3,870,000	3,870,000
Child welfare.....	1,510,000	1,510,000	1,510,000
Total, Department of Labor.....	11,200,000	11,200,000	11,200,000
Federal Security Agency:			
Office of Education:			
Endowment of colleges.....	2,480,000	2,480,000	2,480,000
Vocational rehabilitation: Cooperative program.....	2,800,000	3,200,000	3,200,000
Vocational rehabilitation, Hawaii.....	5,000	5,000	5,000
Vocational rehabilitation, District of Columbia.....	25,000	25,000	25,000
Vocational education:			
Vocational education, further development of.....	13,800,000	14,200,000	14,200,000
Hawaii.....	30,000	30,000	30,000
Puerto Rico.....	105,000	105,000	105,000
Public Health Service: Grants to States for public-health work.....	11,000,000	11,000,000	11,000,000
Social Security Board:			
Grants to States (title I):			
Old-age assistance.....	329,000,000	338,000,000	325,000,000
Dependent children, aid to.....	78,000,000	68,000,000	65,000,000
Blind, aid to.....	8,710,000	9,000,000	9,000,000
Grants to States, unemployment compensation administration (title III).....	79,650,000	37,328,000	30,000,000
Total, Federal Security Agency.....	525,605,000	483,373,000	460,045,000
Employees' Compensation Commission: Compensation funds.....	9,750,000	8,650,000	6,850,000
Railroad Retirement Board: Retirement account.....	214,801,000	262,720,000	262,720,000
Grand total.....	761,356,000	765,943,000	740,815,000

APPENDIX C.—*Special and trust accounts*

	1943	1944	Increase (+) or decrease (—)
Federal Security Agency:			
To promote the education of the blind, interest	\$10,000	\$10,000	
Civilian Conservation Corps, savings fund	850,000		—\$850,000
Civilian Conservation Corps, estates of deceased and mentally incompetent enrolled members	8,000		—8,000
Seafood inspections, Food and Drug Administration	13,418	13,000	—418
Coal-tar colors certification fees, Food and Drug Administration	200	200	
National Institute of Health, conditional gift fund	11,300	5,000	—6,300
Personal funds and earnings of inmates, narcotic farms, Public Health Service	75,000	65,000	—10,000
Monies and effects of former patients, Public Health Service	3,843	4,000	+157
Pension money, St. Elizabeths Hospital	95,000	85,000	—10,000
Personal funds of patients, St. Elizabeths Hospital	160,000	170,000	+10,000
Total, Federal Security Agency	1,226,761	352,200	—874,561
Employees' Compensation Commission: Relief and rehabilitation, Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act	30,000	30,000	
Railroad Retirement Board:			
Railroad retirement account (trust fund)	240,775,255	248,445,445	+7,670,190
Railroad unemployment insurance administration fund	10,200,300	11,300,000	+1,099,700
Grand total	252,232,316	290,127,645	+7,895,329

APPENDIX D.—*Permanent appropriations*

	1943	1944	Increase (+) or decrease (—)
Federal Security Agency:			
Colleges for agriculture and the mechanic arts	\$2,550,000	\$2,550,000	
Promotion of vocational education, act Feb. 23, 1917, Office of Education	7,000,000	7,000,000	
Total, Federal Security Agency	9,550,000	9,550,000	

APPENDIX E

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT SHOWING THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1943, THE ESTIMATES FOR 1944, THE AMOUNT RECOMMENDED IN THE BILL, AND THE INCREASE OR DECREASE AS COMPARED WITH THE CURRENT APPROPRIATIONS AND THE ESTIMATES

TITLE 1. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
Secretary's office:					
Salaries-----	¹ \$386, 125	\$386, 000	\$352, 000	- \$34, 125	- \$34, 000
Solicitor's office-----	841, 532	841, 000	715, 000	- 126, 532	- 126, 000
Contingent expenses-----	192, 530	182, 000	166, 550	- 25, 980	- 15, 450
Traveling expenses-----	² 1, 256, 250	1, 232, 000	1, 092, 000	- 164, 250	- 140, 000
Printing and binding-----	295, 800	284, 000	263, 500	- 32, 300	- 20, 500
Labor Standards, Division of:					
Salaries and expenses-----	146, 585	146, 000	146, 000	- 585	-----
Safety and health program, national defense-----	150, 000	150, 000	150, 000	-----	-----
Working conditions service, national defense-----	-----	³ 1, 142, 000	-----	-----	- 1, 142, 000
Conciliation, commissioners of:					
Regular-----	449, 617	444, 000	444, 000	- 5, 617	-----
National defense-----	⁴ 1, 370, 635	⁵ 1, 559, 800	1, 500, 000	+ 129, 365	- 59, 800
Total, Secretary's office-----	5, 089, 074	6, 366, 800	4, 829, 050	- 260, 024	- 1, 537, 750

Labor Statistics, Bureau of:

Regular-----	1, 099, 803	1, 100, 000	1, 100, 000	+ 197	-----
National defense-----	⁶ 900, 518	⁷ 1, 225, 000	1, 162, 000	+ 261, 482	- 63, 000
Total-----	2, 000, 321	2, 325, 000	2, 262, 000	+ 261, 679	- 63, 000
Children's Bureau:					
Salaries and expenses (general)-----	331, 310	324, 000	324, 000	- 7, 310	-----
Salaries and expenses (Fair Labor Standards Act)-----	251, 660	253, 000	200, 000	- 51, 660	- 53, 000
Salaries and expenses (maternal and child welfare)-----	375, 795	378, 000	350, 000	- 25, 795	- 28, 000
Grants to States:					
Maternal and child health-----	5, 820, 000	5, 820, 000	5, 820, 000	-----	-----
Crippled children-----	3, 870, 000	3, 870, 000	3, 870, 000	-----	-----
Child welfare-----	1, 510, 000	1, 510, 000	1, 510, 000	-----	-----
Emergency maternity and infant care-----	⁸ 1, 200, 000	⁹ 4, 890, 000	4, 000, 000	+ 2, 800, 000	- 800, 000
Total, Children's Bureau-----	13, 358, 765	16, 955, 000	16, 074, 000	+ 2, 715, 235	- 881, 600
Women's Bureau-----	158, 720	160, 000	160, 000	+ 1, 280	-----

¹ Includes \$3,800 transferred from "Salaries and expenses, International Labor Organization, Department of Labor."² Includes \$165,000 appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943.³ Supplemental estimate for 1944, \$1,142,000 (H. Doc. 160).⁴ Includes \$395,000 appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943.⁵ Includes supplemental estimate for 1944, \$584,800 (H. Doc. 160).⁶ Includes \$63,300 appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943.⁷ Includes supplemental estimate for 1944, \$363,000 (H. Doc. 160).⁸ Appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943, \$1,200,000.⁹ Supplemental estimate for 1944, \$4,800,000 (H. Doc. 160).

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE I. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
Wage and Hour Division:					
Salaries-----	\$4,711,600	\$4,500,000	\$3,750,000	\$-961,600	-\$750,000
National defense-----	155,000	141,000		-155,000	-141,000
Expenses-----	284,900	280,000	250,000	-34,900	-30,000
Total, Wage and Hour Division-----	5,151,500	4,921,000	4,000,000	-1,151,500	-921,000
Total regular annual appropriations, Department of Labor-----	25,758,380	30,727,800	27,325,050	+1,566,670	-3,402,750

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

American Printing House for the Blind-----	\$115,000	\$115,000	\$115,000		
COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF-----					
Salaries and expenses-----	10 170,500	155,200	155,200	-\$15,300	
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION-----					
Enforcement operations-----	2,323,580	2,323,580	2,200,000	-123,580	-\$123,580
Sea-food inspectors, salaries-----	40,000	40,000	40,000		

General administrative expenses-----	94, 400	94, 400	90, 000	-4, 400	-4, 400
Total, Food and Drug Administration-----	2, 457, 980	2, 457, 980	2, 330, 000	-127, 980	-127, 980
FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL					
Salaries-----	477, 200	490, 000	490, 000	+12, 800	
Miscellaneous expenses-----	177, 110	196, 000	196, 000	+18, 890	
Total, Freedmen's Hospital-----	654, 310	686, 000	686, 000	+31, 690	
HOWARD UNIVERSITY					
Salaries-----	11 587, 800	598, 000	591, 240	+3, 440	-6, 760
General expenses-----	12 189, 700	156, 000	156, 000	-33, 700	
Total, Howard University-----	777, 500	754, 000	747, 240	-30, 260	-6, 760
OFFICE OF EDUCATION					
General:					
Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the mechanic arts-----	2, 480, 000	2, 480, 000	2, 480, 000		
Library service-----	20, 830	20, 800	20, 800	-30	
Salaries-----	300, 000	324, 000	294, 400	-5, 600	-29, 600
General expenses-----	12, 000	14, 000	12, 000		-2, 000
Loans to students, national defense-----	5, 000, 000		(13)	-5, 000, 000	

¹⁰ Includes \$4,500 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

¹¹ Includes \$6,800 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

¹² Includes \$6,700 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

¹³ Reappropriation of approximately \$2,000,000 unexpended balance.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
OFFICE OF EDUCATION—continued					
General—Continued.					
Salaries and expenses, loans, national defense-----	\$100, 000			—\$100, 000	-----
Total, Office of Education, general	7, 912, 830	\$2, 838, 800	\$2, 807, 200	—5, 105, 630	—\$31, 600
Vocational rehabilitation:					
Cooperative program-----	2, 800, 000	3, 200, 000	3, 200, 000	+ 400, 000	-----
Vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry in Hawaii-----	5, 000	5, 000	5, 000		-----
Vocational rehabilitation, District of Columbia-----	25, 000	25, 000	25, 000		-----
Administrative expenses-----	95, 120	95, 000	95, 000	—120	-----
Vocational education:					
Vocational education, further development of-----	13, 800, 000	14, 200, 000	14, 200, 000	+ 400, 000	-----
Hawaii-----	30, 000	30, 000	30, 000		-----

Puerto Rico-----	105,000	105,000	105,000	-----	-----
Salaries and expenses-----	366,140	368,000	362,680	-3,460	-5,320
Defense training:					
Vocational education of defense workers, national defense-----					
Short college courses, national defense-----					
Vocational courses, out-of-school, rural youth, national defense-----					
Salaries and expenses, national defense-----					
Visual aids for war training, national defense-----					
Total, vocational education and rehabilitation-----					
Total, Office of Education, including vocational education and rehabilitation-----					
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE					
Venereal Disease Division-----					
Grants to States for public health work-----					
Training for nurses, national defense-----					

¹⁴ \$10,000,000 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.

¹⁵ Excludes amounts transferred to the following appropriations: "Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Public Health Service," \$3,000; and "Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency," \$130,000.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER					
Salaries and expenses, national defense-----	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	-----	-----
Interstate quarantine service-----	26,300	28,000	28,000	+\$1,700	-----
Prevention of epidemics-----	198,780	¹⁶ 311,000	300,480	+101,700	-\$10,520
Emergency health and sanitation activities, national defense-----	¹⁷ 9,412,500	¹⁸ 9,904,000	9,729,000	+316,500	-175,000
Hospital, pay of personnel and maintenance of-----	¹⁹ 10,893,950	²⁰ 10,372,700	10,510,700	-383,250	+138,000
Division of Mental Hygiene and maintenance of narcotic farm-----	1,250,800	1,088,000	1,109,680	-141,120	+21,680
Foreign quarantine service-----	1,224,250	1,250,000	1,250,000	+25,750	-----
Disease and sanitation investigations-----	²¹ 1,505,180	²² 1,592,500	-----	-1,505,180	-1,592,500
National Institute of Health-----	743,400	761,000	2,025,020	+1,281,620	+1,264,020
States Relations Division-----	-----	-----	306,800	+306,800	+306,800
National Cancer Institute-----	534,870	530,000	530,000	-4,870	-----
Commissioned personnel, pay and allowances-----	²³ 2,497,599	²⁴ 2,822,000	2,822,000	+324,401	-----

Surgeon General's office, salaries-----	423, 350	25 450, 000	450, 000	+26, 650	-----
Miscellaneous and contingent expenses-----	154, 275	26 195, 000	195, 000	+40, 725	-----
Total, Public Health Service-----	55, 915, 254	56, 221, 200	56, 173, 680	+258, 426	-47, 520
ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL					
Salaries and expenses-----	1, 418, 300	1, 963, 000	1, 963, 000	+544, 700	-----
SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD					
Grants to States (title I):					
Old-age assistance-----	329, 000, 000	338, 000, 000	325, 000, 000	-4, 000, 000	-13, 000, 000
Dependent children, aid to-----	78, 000, 000	68, 000, 000	65, 000, 000	-13, 000, 000	-3, 000, 000
Blind, aid to-----	8, 710, 000	9, 000, 000	9, 000, 000	+290, 000	-----
Bureau of Public Assistance, salaries-----	993, 560	923, 000	900, 000	-93, 560	-23, 000

¹⁶ Includes \$168,000 transferred from "Emergency health and sanitation activities, Public Health Service (national defense)."

¹⁷ \$428,500 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.

¹⁸ Excludes transfers to the following appropriations: "Preventing the spread of epidemic diseases, Public Health Service," \$168,000; and "Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency," \$63,000. Supplemental estimate, \$175,000 included in H. Doc. 191.

¹⁹ \$2,900,000 in Urgent Deficiency Act, 1943.

²⁰ Excludes \$1,260 transferred to "Salaries, Office of Surgeon General, Public Health Service." Supplemental estimate, \$88,700 included in H. Doc. 200.

²¹ \$85,500 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.

²² Excludes \$9,000 transferred to "Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Public Health Service." Supplemental estimate, \$60,500 included in H. Doc. 177.

²³ \$135,000 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.

²⁴ Supplemental estimate, \$219,000, included in H. Doc. 200.

²⁵ Includes \$1,260 transferred from "Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals, Public Health Service."

²⁶ Includes transfers from the following appropriations: "Disease and sanitation investigations, Public Health Service," \$9,000; and "Expenses, Division of Venereal Diseases, Public Health Service," \$3,000. Supplemental estimate, \$40,000, included in H. Doc. 191.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with Budget estimates
SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD—continued					
Grants to States, unemployment compensation administration (title III)-----	\$79, 650, 000	²⁷ \$37, 328, 000	\$30, 000, 000	—\$49, 650, 000	—\$7, 328, 000
Bureau of Employment Security, salaries--	1, 816, 740	²⁸ 750, 000	750, 000	—1, 066, 740	-----
Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance, salaries (title II)-----	17, 300, 000	17, 590, 000	17, 000, 000	—300, 000	—590, 000
Offices of the Board, salaries-----	3, 477, 860	²⁹ 3, 300, 000	3, 250, 000	—227, 860	—50, 000
Miscellaneous expenses-----	3, 053, 500	³⁰ 3, 147, 000	3, 000, 000	—53, 500	—147, 000
Total, Social Security Board-----	522, 001, 660	478, 038, 000	453, 900, 000	—68, 101, 660	—24, 138, 000
OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR					
Office of Administrator, salaries-----	149, 230	149, 230	146, 000	—3, 230	—3, 230
Office of Community War Services-----	1, 770, 390	³¹ 2, 053, 000	1, 670, 000	—100, 390	—383, 000
Division of Personnel Supervision and Management, salaries-----	122, 570	120, 000	120, 000	—2, 570	-----
Chief Clerk's Division, salaries-----	276, 650	³² 283, 000	280, 000	+3, 350	—3, 000
Office of General Counsel, salaries-----	548, 000	³³ 563, 000	531, 380	—16, 620	—31, 620

Miscellaneous expenses-----	80,000	34 87,000	75,000	-5,000	-12,000
Traveling expenses-----	1,752,942	1,758,500	1,620,000	-132,942	-138,500
Printing and binding-----	1,000,000	35 953,400	900,000	-100,000	-53,400
Total, Office of the Administrator-----	5,699,782	5,967,130	5,342,380	-357,402	-624,750
Total, Federal Security Agency, regular annual appropriations-----	765,589,376	712,486,310	672,842,380	-92,746,996	-39,643,930

²⁷ Excludes \$39,903,173 transferred to "Grants to States, employment services, War Manpower Commission." Estimate reduced \$1,672,000 in H. Doc. 195.

²⁸ Excludes \$1,070,000 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

²⁹ Excludes \$107,315 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

³⁰ Excludes \$28,317 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

³¹ Estimate included in H. Doc. 168.

³² Excludes \$6,660 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

³³ Excludes amounts transferred to the following appropriations: "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission," \$12,820; and "Salaries and expenses, National Youth Administration, War Manpower Commission," \$3,800.

³⁴ Excludes amounts transferred to the following appropriations: "Salaries and expenses, apprentice training program, War Manpower Commission," \$54,000; and "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission," \$84,200; and includes transfers from the following appropriations: "Expenses, Division of Venereal Diseases, Public Health Service," \$130,000; and "Emergency health and sanitation activities; Public Health Service (national defense)," \$63,000. Supplemental estimate, \$38,500, included in H. Doc. 177.

³⁵ Excludes transfers to the following appropriations: "Salaries and expenses, apprentice training program, War Manpower Commission," \$1,200; and "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission," \$42,400.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE III. EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with Budget estimates
EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION					
Salaries and expenses-----	\$728, 305	\$837, 000	\$837, 000	+\$108, 795	-----
Military bases (national defense)-----	36 175, 000	175, 000	25, 000	— 150, 000	—\$150, 000
Printing and binding-----	11, 500	17, 000	17, 000	+ 5, 500	-----
Employees' compensation fund-----	37 7, 250, 000	6, 850, 000	6, 850, 000	— 400, 000	-----
Employees' compensation fund (emergency)	2, 500, 000	1, 800, 000	-----	— 2, 500, 000	— 1, 800, 000
Total, Employees' Compensation Commission-----	10, 664, 705	9, 679, 000	7, 729, 000	— 2, 935, 705	— 1, 950, 000

TITLE IV. NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD					
Salaries-----	\$2, 128, 130	\$2, 128, 000	\$1, 915, 000	—\$213, 130	—\$213, 000
Miscellaneous expenses-----	545, 000	531, 000	478, 000	— 67, 000	— 53, 000
Printing and binding-----	234, 500	220, 000	220, 000	— 14, 500	-----
Salaries and expenses (national defense)-----	692, 840	665, 000	600, 000	— 92, 840	— 65, 000
Total, National Labor Relations Board-----	3, 600, 470	3, 544, 000	3, 213, 000	— 387, 470	— 331, 000

TITLE V. NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD				
Salaries and expenses	\$170,855	\$184,500	\$184,500	+\$13,645
Arbitration and emergency boards	(³⁶)			
Printing and binding	2,500	2,500	2,500	
Emergency panels		³⁸ 50,000	50,000	+50,000
National Railroad Adjustment Board	222,560	235,500	235,500	+12,940
Printing and binding	17,000	17,500	17,500	+500
Total, National Mediation Board	412,915	490,000	490,000	+77,085

TITLE VI. RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD				
Salaries	\$2,378,000	\$2,030,000	\$1,706,769	-\$671,231
Miscellaneous expenses	625,000	490,000	450,000	-175,000
Printing and binding	38,000	34,000	34,000	-4,000
Railroad retirement account	214,801,000	262,720,000	262,720,000	+47,919,000
Total, Railroad Retirement Board	217,842,000	265,274,000	264,910,769	+47,068,769

³⁶ \$75,000 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.³⁷ \$1,000,000 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.³⁸ Reappropriation.³⁹ Estimate included in H. Doc. 134.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE VII. WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION ⁴⁰

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with Budget estimates
General administration-----	⁴¹ \$9, 432, 004	\$12, 177, 000	\$9, 994, 800	+ \$562, 796	—\$2, 182, 200
Apprentice Training Service-----	⁴² 526, 890	582, 000	465, 500	—61, 390	—116, 500
Apprentice Training Service (national defense)-----	⁴³ 636, 000	833, 000	550, 000	—86, 000	—283, 000
Employment office facilities and services-----	⁴⁴ 47, 869, 283	55, 527, 000	45, 500, 000	—2, 369, 283	—10, 027, 000
National Youth Administration:					
Youth work-----	⁴⁵ 49, 729, 000	55, 390, 000	⁴⁶ 35, 000, 000	—14, 729, 000	—20, 390, 000
Student aid-----	8, 000, 000	-----	⁴⁷ 3, 000, 000	—5, 000, 000	+ 3, 000, 000
Salaries and expenses-----	⁴⁸ 3, 500, 000	3, 314, 000	2, 750, 000	—750, 000	—564, 000
Printing and binding-----	45, 000	60, 000	50, 000	+ 5, 000	—10, 000
Selective Service System-----	⁴⁹ 55, 905, 000	51, 856, 000	51, 856, 000	—4, 049, 000	-----
Training Within Industry Service-----	1, 145, 000	2, 091, 000	1, 686, 000	+ 541, 000	—405, 000
Total-----	176, 788, 177	181, 830, 000	150, 852, 300	—25, 935, 877	—30, 977, 700
Grand total of the bill, regular annual appropriations-----	1, 200, 656, 023	1, 204, 031, 110	1, 127, 362, 499	—73, 293, 524	—76, 668, 611

⁴⁰ Estimates included in H. Doc. 173.

⁴¹ Includes \$1,361,712 transferred from Federal Security Agency and Social Security Board, \$30,000 reimbursement for services performed for Federal Housing Administration and excludes \$7,966,110 transferred to Employment Office facilities and services.

⁴² Includes \$61,389 transferred from Federal Security Agency.

⁴³ Includes \$186,000 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

⁴⁴ Includes \$39,903,173 transferred from grants to States, Unemployment Compensation Administration, Social Security Board and \$7,966,110 transferred from Salaries and Expenses, War Manpower Commission.

⁴⁵ Includes \$115,000 transferred to U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission and \$260,000 reimbursements for services performed, \$86,000 for the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission is included in the 1944 estimate.

⁴⁶ And reappropriation of approximately \$5,000,000.

⁴⁷ And reappropriation of not to exceed \$1,000,000.

⁴⁸ Includes \$347,679 transferred to Treasury Department, \$68,715 for this purpose is included in the 1944 estimate.

⁴⁹ Includes \$21,160,000 appropriated in urgent deficiency joint resolution, 1943.



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Mr. HARE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following bill; which was committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed

A BILL

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

- 1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money
4 in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Depart-
5 ment of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
6 independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30,
7 1944, namely:

TITLE I.—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia, \$352,000.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and for other necessary expenses in the field, including contract stenographic reporting services, \$715,000.

Contingent expenses: For expenses of the offices and bureaus of the Department, for which appropriations for expenses are not specifically made, including the purchase of stationery, furniture, and repairs to the same, carpets, matting, oilcloths, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap, sponges, laundry, not exceeding \$1,000 for streetcar fares; purchase, maintenance, and repair of motorcycles and motortrucks; maintenance, operation, and repair of four motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; freight and express charges; commercial and labor-reporting services; postage to foreign countries, telegraph and telephone service; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, books of reference, newspapers, and periodicals and, when authorized by the Secretary of Labor, dues for library membership in societies or associations which issue publications to members only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members, not exceeding \$6,000; contract steno-

1 graphic services; and teletype service and tolls (not to
2 exceed \$1,100), \$166,500.

3 Traveling expenses: For traveling expenses under the
4 Department of Labor, including reimbursement to employees
5 of the Wage and Hour Division, at not to exceed 3 cents
6 per mile, for expenses of travel performed by them in pri-
7 vately owned automobiles within the limits of their official
8 stations in the field, \$1,092,000.

9 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
10 Department of Labor, \$263,500.

11 Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For
12 salaries and other expenses, including purchase and distribu-
13 tion of reports, and of material for informational exhibits,
14 in connection with the promotion of health, safety, employ-
15 ment stabilization, and amicable industrial relations for labor
16 and industry, \$146,000.

17 Salaries and expenses, Safety and Health Program (na-
18 tional defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the
19 Secretary of Labor to conduct a program of safety and health
20 among employees engaged in national-defense industries, in-
21 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia and
22 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to
23 the appropriations under the Department of Labor for con-
24 tingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
25 binding, \$150,000.

1 The appropriation under this title for traveling expenses
2 shall be available for expenses of attendance of cooperating
3 officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the
4 work of the Division of Labor Standards when called by the
5 Division of Labor Standards with the written approval of the
6 Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also in an amount
7 not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings
8 related to the work of the Division of Labor Standards when
9 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

10 Commissioners of conciliation: For expenses necessary
11 to enable the Secretary of Labor to exercise the authority
12 vested in him by section 8 of the Act creating the Depart-
13 ment of Labor (5 U. S. C. 611), including newspapers, books
14 of reference, and periodicals; and not to exceed \$68,827 for
15 personal services in the District of Columbia, \$444,000.

16 Commissioners of Conciliation (national defense): For
17 all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to
18 perform conciliation services in situations growing out of
19 employment in industries under the national defense pro-
20 gram, including personal services in the District of Columbia
21 and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly charge-
22 able to the appropriations under the Department of Labor
23 for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
24 binding, \$1,500,000.

25 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses

1 shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for
2 expenses of attendance at meetings, conferences, or conven-
3 tions concerned with labor and industrial relations when
4 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

6 Salaries and expenses: For personal services including
7 temporary statistical clerks, stenographers, and typists in
8 the District of Columbia, and including also experts and
9 temporary assistants for field service outside of the District
10 of Columbia; purchase of periodicals, documents, envelopes,
11 price quotations, and reports and materials for reports and
12 bulletins of said Bureau, \$1,100,000, of which amount not
13 to exceed \$970,000 may be expended for the salary of the
14 Commissioner and other personal services in the District of
15 Columbia.

16 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
17 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000, for
18 expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work
19 of the Bureau of Labor Statistics when incurred on the
20 written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

21 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
22 penses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor, through
23 the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation to the national
24 security and defense, to perform the functions authorized by
25 the Act of June 13, 1888, and other Acts (29 U. S. C. 1);

1 to continue occupational outlook surveys throughout the
2 United States; and to conduct studies relative to problems
3 connected with labor likely to arise upon the termination
4 of the existing emergent conditions in connection with de-
5 fense activities throughout the United States, in cooperation
6 with the National Resources Planning Board; such expenses
7 to include personal services in the District of Columbia and
8 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable
9 to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for
10 contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
11 binding, and not to exceed \$15,000 for the temporary em-
12 ployment of experts without regard to the civil service and
13 classification laws, \$1,162,000.

14 CHILDREN'S BUREAU

15 Salaries and expenses: For expenses of investigating and
16 reporting upon matters pertaining to the welfare of children
17 and child life, and especially to investigate the questions of
18 infant mortality; personal services, including experts and
19 temporary assistants; purchase of reports and material for
20 the publications of the Children's Bureau and for reprints
21 from State, city, and private publications for distribution
22 when said reprints can be procured more cheaply than they
23 can be printed by the Government, and other necessary
24 expenses, \$324,000, of which amount not to exceed \$289,600

1 may be expended for personal services in the District of
2 Columbia.

3 Salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair
4 Labor Standards Act: For all authorized and necessary
5 expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties
6 imposed upon it by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938,
7 including personal services in the District of Columbia and
8 elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books
9 of reference, and periodicals; and reimbursement to State
10 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
11 as authorized by section 11 of said Act, \$200,000.

12 MATERNAL AND CHILD WELFARE

13 Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare:
14 For all authorized and necessary administrative expenses of
15 the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed
16 upon it by title V of the Social Security Act, approved
17 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal services,
18 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services;
19 equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals,
20 \$350,000: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriation
21 contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry
22 out any instruction, order, or regulation which discriminates
23 between persons licensed under State law to practice
24 obstetrics.

Grants to States for maternal and child health services:

For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve services for promoting the health of mothers and children, as authorized in title V, part 1, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 701), as amended, \$5,820,000: *Provided*, That any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) shall not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections (a) and (b) of section 504 an amount expended or estimated to be expended by the State.

Grants to States for services for crippled children: For the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve services for crippled children, as authorized in title V, part 2, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 711), as amended, \$3,870,000.

Grants to States for child-welfare services: For grants to States for the purpose of enabling the United States, through the Children's Bureau, to cooperate with State public-welfare agencies in establishing, extending, and strengthening public-welfare services for the care of homeless or neglected children, or children in danger of becoming delinquent, as authorized in title V, part 3, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 721), as amended, \$1,510,000.

Grants to States for emergency maternity and infant

1 care (national defense): For grants to States, including
2 Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia,
3 to provide, in addition to similar services otherwise avail-
4 able, medical, nursing, and hospital maternity and infant
5 care for wives and infants of enlisted men in the armed
6 forces of the United States, under allotments by the Secre-
7 tary of Labor and plans developed and administered by
8 State health agencies and approved by the Chief of the
9 Children's Bureau, \$4,000,000.

10 In the administration of title V of the Social Security
11 Act, as amended, for the fiscal year 1944, payments
12 to the States for any quarter of the fiscal year 1944
13 under parts 1, 2, and 3 may be made with respect to any
14 State plan approved under such respective parts by the Chief
15 of the Children's Bureau prior to or during such quarter, but
16 no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
17 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan is sub-
18 mitted to the Chief of the Children's Bureau for approval.

19 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
20 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$11,000, for
21 expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants
22 at conferences concerned with the administration of work of
23 the Children's Bureau under the Fair Labor Standards Act
24 and under title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security

1 Act, as amended, when called by the Children's Bureau with
2 the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be
3 available also, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000, for ex-
4 penses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the
5 Children's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
6 of the Secretary of Labor.

7 WOMEN'S BUREAU

8 Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions
9 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish in the Department
10 of Labor a bureau to be known as the Women's Bureau",
11 approved June 5, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 11-16), including
12 personal services in the District of Columbia; purchase of
13 material for reports and educational exhibits, \$160,000.

14 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
15 be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,500 for expenses
16 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
17 Women's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
18 of the Secretary of Labor.

19 WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

20 Salaries: For personal services for the Wage and Hour
21 Division necessary in performing the duties imposed by the
22 Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
23 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
24 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
25 (41 U. S. C. 38), including reimbursement to State, Fed-

1 eral, and local agencies and their employees for services
2 rendered, \$3,750,000, of which amount not to exceed
3 \$675,000 (exclusive of pay of members of industry com-
4 mittees) may be expended for departmental salaries.

5 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For
6 necessary expenses, other than salaries, of the Wage and
7 Hour Division in performing the duties imposed by the Fair
8 Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
9 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
10 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
11 (41 U. S. C. 38), including stenographic reporting services
12 by contract or otherwise, purchase of one and maintenance,
13 repair, and operation outside the District of Columbia, of
14 three motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, lawbooks,
15 books of reference, periodicals, manuscripts and special re-
16 ports, newspapers, and reimbursement to State, Federal,
17 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
18 \$250,000.

19 The Secretary of Labor may allot or transfer, with
20 the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget,
21 funds from the foregoing appropriations for the Wage
22 and Hour Division to any other bureau or office of the
23 Department of Labor to enable such bureau or office to
24 perform services for the Wage and Hour Division.

25 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall

1 be available in an amount not to exceed \$4,750 for expenses
2 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
3 Wage and Hour Division when incurred on the written
4 authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 This title may be cited as the Department of Labor
6 Appropriation Act, 1944.

7 TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

8 AMERICAN PRINTING HOUSE FOR THE BLIND

9 To enable the American Printing House for the Blind
10 more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the
11 education of the blind in accordance with the provisions of
12 the Act approved February 8, 1927 (20 U. S. C. 101),
13 \$115,000.

14 CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

15 For all necessary expenses to enable the Federal Se-
16 curity Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the
17 Civilian Conservation Corps and the conservation and dis-
18 position of all of the property of whatever type (including
19 camp buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of
20 all types) in use by said Corps, including personal services
21 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for
22 accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Gov-
23 ernment service due to the discontinuance of Corps operations;
24 and for such travel and other necessary expenses as may be
25 incurred in connection with liquidation of said Civilian Con-

1 servation Corps from the unexpended balances of the appro-
2 priations made to the Civilian Conservation Corps in the
3 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1942, not
4 exceeding \$20,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall
5 be completed as quickly as possible but in any event not
6 later than June 30, 1944: *Provided further*, That for the
7 purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the
8 Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved
9 June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and
10 effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liqui-
11 dation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator
12 shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such
13 Corps by such Act.

14 Notwithstanding the provisions of the Act of December
15 23, 1941 (Public Law 371), the Federal Security Admin-
16 istrator is authorized, during the fiscal year 1944, to dispose
17 of any camp buildings, no longer needed for Civilian Con-
18 servation Corps purposes, and housekeeping and camp main-
19 tenance equipment necessary in connection therewith, by
20 transfer with or without reimbursement, to other Federal
21 agencies or, upon such terms as he may prescribe to any
22 State, county, municipality, or nonprofit organization for the
23 promotion of conservation, education, recreation, or health:
24 *Provided*, That, in the case of buildings located on land owned
25 by the United States, any such disposition shall be subject

1 to the approval of the agency of the United States having
2 jurisdiction of such lands: *And provided further*, That such
3 buildings and equipment shall first be tendered to the War
4 Department and Navy Department for use in prosecution of
5 the war, or the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which
6 Departments or agency shall have sixty days from the date
7 of notification of availability of such buildings and equipment
8 to accept such tender.

9 COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

10 For support of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf,
11 including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illus-
12 trative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements,
13 \$155,200.

14 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

15 For all necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
16 ministration in carrying out the investigations, including col-
17 lecting, reporting, and illustrating the results thereof, and
18 performing the functions required to carry into effect the
19 provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
20 (21 U. S. C. 301-392) ; the Act approved March 2, 1897,
21 entitled "An Act to prevent the importation of impure and
22 unwholesome tea" (21 U. S. C. 41-50), which may here-
23 after be cited as the Tea Importation Act; the Act approved
24 February 15, 1927, to regulate the importation of milk and
25 cream into the United States, and so forth (21 U. S. C.

1 141-149), which may hereafter be cited as the Import Milk
2 Act; the Federal Caustic Poison Act (15 U. S. C. 401-
3 411); and the Act approved May 4, 1923, entitled "An Act
4 to prohibit the shipment of filled milk in interstate or foreign
5 commerce" (21 U. S. C. 61-64), which may hereafter be
6 cited as the Filled Milk Act; as follows:

7 Enforcement operations: To enable the Federal Security
8 Administrator to carry into effect the provisions of the above
9 statutes, including personal services in the District of Colum-
10 bia (not exceeding \$673,000) and elsewhere; purchase (not
11 to exceed ten), operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-
12 propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles; pur-
13 chase of chemicals, apparatus, and scientific equipment; con-
14 tract stenographic reporting services; books of reference and
15 periodicals, \$2,200,000; and the Administrator, in carrying
16 into effect the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and
17 Cosmetic Act, is authorized hereafter to cooperate with as-
18 sociations and scientific societies in the revision of the United
19 States Pharmacopœia and in the development of methods of
20 analysis and mechanical and physical tests necessary to carry
21 out the work of the Food and Drug Administration and to
22 pay the compensation and expenses of the members of the
23 Board appointed under section 2 of the Tea Importation Act,
24 and such compensation and expenses shall not be paid out

1 of the appropriation for "Expenses of collecting the revenue
2 from customs".

3 Salaries, sea-food inspectors: For salaries of sea-food
4 inspectors designated in accordance with the provisions of
5 section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act, as
6 amended by the Act of August 27, 1935 (21 U. S. C.
7 372a), which may hereafter be cited as section 702A of the
8 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, \$40,000.

9 General administration: For general administration, in-
10 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia,
11 \$90,000.

12 FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

13 For officers and employees and compensation for all
14 other professional and other services that may be required
15 and expressly approved by the Federal Security Administra-
16 tor, \$490,000.

17 Miscellaneous expenses: For subsistence; fuel and light,
18 not exceeding \$500 for expenses of attendance upon meet-
19 ings of a technical nature, pertaining to hospital adminis-
20 tration and medical advancement, when authorized by the
21 Federal Security Administrator; clothing to include white
22 cotton or duck suits for the use of internes, and cotton or
23 duck uniforms or aprons for cooks, maids, and attendants, and
24 laundering thereof; rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage,
25 medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments,

1 electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, and
2 furniture; maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying
3 vehicles; not exceeding \$250 for the purchase of books,
4 periodicals, and newspapers; not to exceed \$2,000 for the
5 special instruction of student nurses; reimbursement to the
6 appropriations of Howard University of actual cost of heat
7 and light furnished, and other necessary expenses \$196,000:
8 *Provided*, That there shall be transferred from this appro-
9 priation to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, public
10 buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, Public
11 Buildings Administration" for direct expenditure by the
12 Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations,
13 improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds
14 of Freedmen's Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred
15 from this appropriation to the appropriation "Traveling
16 expenses, Federal Security Agency", and that \$2,500 shall
17 be transferred to the appropriation "Miscellaneous and
18 contingent expenses, Public Health Service": *Provided*
19 *further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing
20 appropriations for the Freedmen's Hospital shall be charge-
21 able to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner
22 as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are
23 paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time
24 to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so

1 that the portion of each of these appropriations charged
 2 to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to
 3 the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital
 4 days of service to persons who have resided in the District
 5 of Columbia for over one year on the day of admission bears
 6 to the total number of hospital days of service performed.

7 HOWARD UNIVERSITY

8 Salaries: For payment in full or in part of the salaries
 9 of the officers, professors, teachers, and other regular em-
 10 ployees of the university, the balance to be paid from
 11 privately contributed funds, \$591,240.

12 Expenses, Howard University: For equipment, sup-
 13 plies, apparatus, furniture, cases and shelving, stationery,
 14 ice, repairs to buildings and grounds, and for other necessary
 15 expenses of the university, \$156,000.

16 OFFICE OF EDUCATION

17 Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the
 18 mechanic arts: For carrying out the provisions of section 22
 19 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into
 20 basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to pro-
 21 vide for the further development of cooperative agricultural
 22 extension work and the more complete endowment and
 23 support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935
 24 (49 Stat. 436), \$2,480,000.

25 Library service: For making surveys, studies, investiga-

1 tions, and reports regarding public, school, college, univer-
2 sity, and other libraries; fostering coordination of public and
3 school library service; coordinating library service on the
4 national level with other forms of adult education; developing
5 library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nation-
6 wide coordination of research materials among the more
7 scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the
8 development of public, school, and other library service
9 throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses
10 incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such
11 assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the Dis-
12 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, as the Commissioner of
13 Education may deem necessary, purchase of miscellaneous
14 supplies, equipment, stationery, postage on foreign mail,
15 books of reference, lawbooks, and periodicals, and all other
16 necessary expenses, \$20,800.

17 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
18 bia, \$294,400.

19 General expenses: For general expenses of the Office of
20 Education, including lawbooks, books of reference, and
21 periodicals; purchase, distribution, and exchange of educa-
22 tional documents, motion-picture films, and lantern slides;
23 collection, exchange, and cataloging of educational apparatus
24 and appliances, articles of school furniture and models of

1 school buildings illustrative of foreign and domestic systems
2 and methods of education, and repairing the same, \$12,000.

3 The unexpended balance of the appropriation for loans
4 to students in technical and professional fields, 1943, is
5 hereby reappropriated and made available for the same pur-
6 poses and under the same conditions as provided in the
7 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act 1943, except
8 that such loans shall be made only to those students whose
9 technical or professional education can be completed in one
10 year, and of the sum reappropriated not to exceed \$54,000
11 shall be available for administrative expenses, including
12 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
13 purchase and exchange of equipment; printing and bind-
14 ing; travel expenses, including not to exceed \$1,200 for
15 actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per
16 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
17 serving while away from their homes, without other com-
18 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity
19 to the Commissioner of Education.

20 VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

21 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled
22 in industry: For carrying out the provisions of the Act
23 entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational
24 rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise
25 and their return to civil employment", approved June 2,

1 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), as amended by the Act of June 5,
2 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31) and the Acts of June 9, 1930, and
3 June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31-40), section 531 (a)
4 of the Act of August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620) and section
5 508 (a) of the Act approved August 10, 1939 (53 Stat.
6 1381), \$3,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to
7 the States shall be computed in accordance with the Acts
8 approved June 2, 1920, June 5, 1924, June 9, 1930, June
9 30, 1932, August 14, 1935, and August 10, 1939, on the
10 basis of not to exceed \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year 1944.

11 Promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons dis-
12 abled in industry in Hawaii: For extending to the Territory
13 of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to pro-
14 vide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons
15 disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended
16 (29 U. S. C. 31-44), in accordance with the provisions of
17 the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain
18 laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924
19 (29 U. S. C. 45), \$5,000.

20 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
21 shall be available for actual transportation and not to exceed
22 \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of
23 persons serving, while away from their homes with-
24 out other compensation from the United States, in an

1 advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education, in an
2 amount not exceeding \$10,000.

3 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of disabled resi-
4 dents of the District of Columbia: For personal services,
5 printing and binding, travel and subsistence, and payment of
6 expenses of training, placement, and other phases of re-
7 habilitating disabled residents of the District of Columbia
8 under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide
9 for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the
10 District of Columbia", approved February 23, 1929 (45
11 Stat. 1260), as amended by the Act approved April 17,
12 1937 (50 Stat. 69), \$25,000.

13 Salaries and expenses, vocational rehabilitation: For
14 carrying out the provisions of section 6 of the Act entitled
15 "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabili-
16 tation of persons disabled in industry, and so forth", ap-
17 proved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), and the Acts of
18 June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), June 9, 1930, and June
19 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31, 40), August 14, 1935 (49 Stat.
20 620), and August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), and for carry-
21 ing out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to
22 authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by
23 blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the
24 blind, and for other purposes", approved June 20, 1936 (49
25 Stat. 1559, 1560), \$95,000.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Further development of vocational education: For carrying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488-1490), \$14,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be computed on the basis of not to exceed \$14,483,000 for the fiscal year 1944, as authorized by the Act approved June 8, 1936.

For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924 (20 U. S. C. 29), \$30,000.

For extending to Puerto Rico the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to Puerto Rico", approved March 3, 1931 (20 U. S. C. 11-18; 29 U. S. C. 31-35; 20 U. S. C. 30), \$105,000.

Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions

1 of section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the
2 promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved
3 February 23, 1917, as amended by the Act of October 6,
4 1917 (20 U. S. C. 15), and of section 4 of the Act entitled
5 "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational
6 education in the several States and Territories", approved
7 June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488), \$362,680.

8 EDUCATION AND TRAINING, DEFENSE WORKERS (NATIONAL
9 DEFENSE)

10 Payments to States, and so forth (national defense):
11 For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public
12 agencies operating public educational facilities, and, where
13 hereinafter authorized, to vocational schools exempt from
14 taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue
15 Code, colleges and universities, for the furtherance of the
16 education and training of defense workers, through certifica-
17 tion from time to time, in accordance with regulations pro-
18 mulgated by the United States Commissioner of Education
19 (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") under the
20 supervision and direction of the Federal Security Adminis-
21 trator and approved by the President, by the Commissioner to
22 the Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or
23 the name of such school, college, or university to whom
24 payment is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such

1 payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the
2 General Accounting Office as follows:

3 (1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than col-
4 lege grade provided by such agencies in vocational schools,
5 including vocational schools exempt from taxation under
6 section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by such
7 vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by them and
8 approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include
9 only courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War
10 Manpower Commission as supplementary to employment in
11 occupations essential to the national defense, and types of
12 preemployment and refresher courses similarly approved for
13 workers preparing for such occupations and selected from the
14 public employment office registers, and for the cost of voca-
15 tional courses of types similarly approved of less than college
16 grade in private vocational schools (regardless of tax liabil-
17 ity) and in other private facilities where equipment for
18 training is available, including not to exceed \$5,000,000 for
19 payment to such agencies for rental of additional space and
20 for the acquisition by purchase, rental, gift, or otherwise of
21 new or used equipment found necessary by the Commissioner
22 for carrying out the approved plans, \$90,000,000.

23 (2) For the cost of short courses of college grade
24 provided by degree-granting colleges and universities pur-

1 suant to plans submitted by them and approved by the
2 Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses of types
3 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
4 sion designed to meet the shortage of engineers, chemists,
5 physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to
6 the national defense, and such plans may provide for regional
7 coordination of the defense training program of the partici-
8 pating colleges and universities, \$25,000,000: *Provided*,
9 That only colleges and universities which operate under char-
10 ters which exempt their educational property from taxation
11 and public degree-granting educational institutions shall be
12 eligible to receive funds herefrom: *Provided further*, That
13 not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any
14 school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase and
15 rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space
16 found by the Commissioner necessary to carry out its ap-
17 proved plan.

18 (3) For the cost of vocational courses in food produc-
19 tion and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and
20 farm-labor training of less than college grade designed to
21 give general preemployment mechanical training and to assist
22 in attaining the production goals for those farm commodities
23 designated from time to time in the food-for-freedom program
24 promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture
25 pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved

1 by the Commissioner, \$12,500,000, of which not to exceed
2 15 per centum shall be available for payment to such agen-
3 cies for purchase and rental of equipment and rental of space.

4 Visual aids for war training (national defense) : For all
5 necessary expenses of the Office of Education in procuring
6 and making available, for reproduction and use, visual aid
7 instructional units, consisting of motion-picture films, lantern
8 slides, slide films, and film loops, for training in occupations
9 essential to the war effort (each such occupation to be
10 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
11 sion), including personal services in the District of Columbia
12 and elsewhere: travel expenses: printing and binding,
13 \$2,000,000, of which amount not to exceed \$10,000 may
14 be transferred to appropriations for salaries and miscel-
15 laneous expenses of the War Manpower Commission:
16 *Provided*, That copies of slides and films shall be sold at a
17 price sufficient to pay the whole cost of production of such
18 slides and films.

19 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all
20 administrative expenses necessary to enable the Office
21 of Education to carry out the foregoing program of education
22 and training of defense workers, including personal services
23 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses,
24 printing and binding, and not to exceed \$10,000 for the pay-
25 ment of actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per

1 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
2 serving, while away from their homes, without other com-
3 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capac-
4 ity to the Commissioner, \$1,100,000: *Provided*, That
5 the Commissioner shall transmit to Congress quarterly
6 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, a report
7 of the defense training programs which operate under
8 his administration, as provided for in this Act, such reports
9 to show the distribution of Federal funds and activities by
10 States, types of programs, and numbers of persons trained.

11 In the selection of trainees under the provisions of
12 paragraph 1, no maximum age limit for trainees shall be
13 established.

14 No trainee under the appropriations provided for in the
15 foregoing paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 shall be discriminated
16 against because of sex, race, or color, and, where separate
17 schools are required by law for separate population groups,
18 to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable
19 provisions shall be made for facilities and training of like
20 quality.

21 Selection of trainees under the foregoing programs of
22 training shall be based upon the existing and anticipated
23 need for defense workers in occupations essential to the
24 national defense.

25 Not to exceed an aggregate of \$4,000 of the amount

1 appropriated in this title for traveling expenses may be used
2 for expenses of attendance at meetings of educational asso-
3 ciations and other organizations concerned with vocational
4 education.

5 All appropriations for vocational education under the
6 Office of Education in this Act shall be used exclusively
7 for vocational education purposes.

8 The commissioner may delegate to any officer in the
9 Office of Education any of his powers or duties hereunder.

10 PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

11 Division of Venereal Diseases: For the maintenance and
12 expenses of the Division of Venereal Diseases, established by
13 sections 3 and 4, chapter XV, of the Act approved July 9,
14 1918 (42 U. S. C. 24, 25), and for the purpose of carrying
15 out the provisions of the Act of May 24, 1938 (52 Stat.
16 439-440), including personal services in the District of
17 Columbia and elsewhere; items otherwise properly chargeable
18 to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses
19 for the Public Health Service; purchase of reports, docu-
20 ments, and other material for publication and of reprints
21 from State, city, and private publications; purchase (not
22 to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
23 senger-carrying automobiles for official use in field work.
24 \$12,367,000, of which not to exceed \$142,212 may be

1 transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, com-
2 missioned officers, Public Health Service".

3 Grants to States for public-health work: For the purpose
4 of assisting States, counties, health districts, and other politi-
5 cal subdivisions of the States in establishing and maintaining
6 adequate public-health services, including the training of
7 personnel for State and local health work, as authorized in
8 sections 601 and 602, title VI, of the Social Security Act,
9 approved August 14, 1935, as amended (49 Stat. 634),
10 \$11,000,000.

11 Training for nurses (national defense): For the cost,
12 including subsistence, including cash allowances to trainees
13 as provided by Public No. (H. R. 2664 Seventy-eighth
14 Congress), of refresher, student nurse and postgraduate nurs-
15 ing courses, including courses in midwifery, provided by pub-
16 lic agencies operating public educational facilities and by hos-
17 pitals and nursing schools in accordance with plans submitted
18 by them and approved by the Surgeon General of the Public
19 Health Service, at hospitals with recognized schools of nurs-
20 ing, and, where necessary, in the case of postgraduate courses
21 at other institutions, for approved persons who have been
22 licensed to practice as registered nurses under the laws of a
23 State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, \$3,500,000,
24 payment thereof to be made through certification from time
25 to time in accordance with regulations promulgated by the

1 Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service
2 under the supervision and direction of the Federal Security
3 Administrator and approved by the President, by said Sur-
4 geon General to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name
5 of such agency, nursing school, or hospital to whom payment
6 is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment
7 to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General
8 Accounting Office.

9 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all gen-
10 eral administrative expenses necessary to enable the Public
11 Health Service to carry out the foregoing program of nurs-
12 ing courses, including personal services in the District of
13 Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses, and printing
14 and binding, \$50,000.

15 Interstate quarantine service: For cooperation with
16 State and municipal health authorities in the prevention of
17 the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in interstate
18 traffic, including the purchase of one and maintenance,
19 repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles,
20 \$28,000.

21 Prevention of epidemics: To enable the President, in
22 case only of threatened or actual epidemic of infectious or
23 contagious disease, to aid State and local boards or otherwise
24 in his discretion, in preventing and suppressing the spread of
25 the same and in such emergency in the execution of any

1 quarantine laws which may be then in force, including the
2 maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying
3 automobiles, \$300,480.

4 Emergency health and sanitation activities (national
5 defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Surgeon
6 General of the Public Health Service to conduct independ-
7 ently or to assist State and local health authorities in health
8 and sanitation activities (1) in areas adjoining military and
9 naval reservations, (2) in areas where there are concentra-
10 tions of military and naval forces, (3) in areas adjoining
11 Government and private industrial plants engaged in defense
12 work, and (4) in private industrial plants engaged in defense
13 work, to provide emergency health and sanitation services
14 in Government industrial plants engaged in defense work and
15 in areas adjoining United States military and naval reserva-
16 tions outside the United States, and to perform the functions
17 of the Public Health Service under the facility security
18 program authorized by Executive Order Numbered 9165;
19 such expenses to include personal services in the District
20 of Columbia and elsewhere, maintenance and operation of
21 passenger-carrying automobiles, stationery, travel, printing
22 and binding, the purchase of oils, larvicides, and other diluents
23 without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, and
24 items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation
25 for miscellaneous and contingent expenses of the Public

1 Health Service. \$9,729,000, of which not to exceed \$53,686
2 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth,
3 commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

4 Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals: For
5 medical examinations, including the amount necessary for
6 the medical inspection of aliens, as required by section 16
7 of the Act of February 5, 1917 (8 U. S. C. 152), medical,
8 surgical, and hospital services and supplies, including pros-
9 thetic and orthopedic supplies to be furnished under regu-
10 lations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Se-
11 curity Agency for beneficiaries (other than patients of the
12 Veterans' Administration) of the Public Health Service and
13 persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
14 under the quarantine or immigration laws and regulations,
15 including necessary personnel and reserve commissioned of-
16 ficers of the Public Health Service, personal services in the
17 District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the furnishing
18 and laundering of white duck coats, trousers, smocks, aprons,
19 and caps to employees whose duties make necessary the
20 wearing of same, maintenance, minor repairs, equipment,
21 leases, fuel, lights, water, freight, transportation and travel,
22 the maintenance and operation of motortrucks and passenger
23 motor vehicles for use in field work and one for use in
24 the District of Columbia, purchase of ambulances, trans-

1 portation, care, maintenance, and treatment of lepers, includ-
2 ing transportation to their homes in the continental United
3 States of recovered indigent leper patients, court costs,
4 and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or
5 hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent
6 persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane,
7 and reasonable burial expenses (not exceeding \$100 for any
8 patient dying in hospital), \$10,510,700, of which sum not
9 to exceed \$88,700 shall be available for the furnishing by
10 the Public Health Service to and at the request of any
11 Federal department or independent establishment, including
12 Government-owned corporations, of coordinating and con-
13 sultative services with respect to methods and standards for
14 operating emergency health facilities in such department or
15 establishment, including in-service training of such emer-
16 gency health facility personnel, and for providing employees
17 of such agencies (1) tuberculosis and psychiatric examina-
18 tions and (2) health and nutrition instruction through lec-
19 tures and demonstrations, and for printing and binding and
20 travel expenses in connection therewith: *Provided*, That the
21 Immigration and Naturalization Service shall permit the
22 Public Health Service to use the hospitals at Ellis Island
23 Immigration Station for the care of Public Health Service
24 patients free of expense for physical upkeep, but with a
25 charge of actual cost of fuel, light, water, telephone, and

1 similar supplies and services, to be covered into the proper
2 Immigration Service appropriations; and money collected
3 by the Immigration Service on account of hospital expenses
4 of persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
5 under the immigration laws and regulations shall be covered
6 into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts: *Provided further,*
7 That no part of this sum shall be used for the quarantine
8 service (except for persons detained in hospitals of the Public
9 Health Service at points where no quarantine hospital facilities
10 are available), the prevention of epidemics, or scientific
11 work of the character provided for under other appropriations
12 for the Public Health Service.

13 Division of mental hygiene: For carrying out the provisions
14 of section 4 of the Act of June 14, 1930 (21 U. S. C. 196, 225) ; for maintenance and operation of the
15 United States Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington,
16 Kentucky, and the United States Public Health Service
17 Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, in accordance with the
18 provisions of the Act of January 19, 1929 (21 U. S. C.
19 221-237), including personal services in the District of
20 Columbia (not to exceed \$23,982) and elsewhere; traveling
21 expenses; firearms and ammunition; necessary supplies
22 and equipment; reimbursement to the working capital fund
23 for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities;
24 subsistence and care of inmates; expenses incurred in pur-
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1 suing and identifying escaped inmates, including rewards
2 for their capture; expenses of interment or transporting
3 remains of deceased inmates including the remains of persons
4 voluntarily admitted; purchase and exchange of farm prod-
5 ucts and livestock; lawbooks, books of reference, and not to
6 exceed \$100 for newspapers and periodicals; furnishing
7 and laundering of uniforms and other distinctive wearing
8 apparel necessary for employees in the performance of their
9 official duties; transportation and subsistence allowance when
10 necessary, within continental United States and under regula-
11 tions approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security
12 Agency, of persons voluntarily admitted and discharged
13 as cured; tobacco for inmates; purchase (not to exceed two),
14 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled
15 passenger-carrying vehicles. \$1,109,680, and the Surgeon
16 General is authorized to utilize Government-owned automo-
17 tive equipment in transporting, to and from school, children
18 of Public Health Service personnel on duty at the Public
19 Health Service hospitals at Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexing-
20 ton, Kentucky, who have quarters for themselves and their
21 families on the station reservations.

22 Foreign quarantine service: For maintenance and or-
23 dinary expenses of United States quarantine stations and sup-
24plementary activities abroad, including personal services in
25 the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the maintenance,

1 repair, and operation of motortrucks and motor-propelled
2 passenger-carrying vehicles for official use in field work,
3 \$1,250,000.

4 National Institute of Health: For necessary expenses,
5 not appropriated for elsewhere, of the National Institute of
6 Health, its branches and field offices, including maintenance
7 of buildings; for regulating the propagation and sale of viruses,
8 serums, toxins, and analogous products, including arsphen-
9 mines and other organic arsenic compounds therapeutically
10 analogous thereto; for the preparation of curative and diag-
11 nostic products; and for carrying out the provisions of section
12 603 of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935,
13 and section 1 of the Act of August 14, 1912; such expenses
14 to include personal and other services in the District of
15 Columbia and elsewhere; the purchase, repair, and cleaning
16 of uniforms for the guard force; items otherwise properly
17 chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and con-
18 tingent expenses for the Public Health Service; the purchase
19 (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of
20 passenger-carrying automobiles; and the purchase of reprints
21 of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and
22 journals, \$2,025,020, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may
23 be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation
24 "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health
25 Service".

States Relations Division: For all necessary expenses of the States Relations Division in connection with grants to States under title VI of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal and other services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere and items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health Service, and the maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles, \$306,800. of which not to exceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

National Cancer Institute: For carrying into effect the provisions of section 7 (b) of the National Cancer Institute Act, approved August 5, 1937, \$530,000, including the purchase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and journals.

Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth: For pay, allowance, and commutation of quarters for not to exceed 568 regular active commissioned officers (including the Surgeon General, Assistant to the Surgeon General, and assistant surgeons general) and for pay of regular commissioned officers on waiting orders, \$2,822,000: *Provided*, That the above limitation on the number of regular active commissioned officers may be exceeded by the number (not in excess of

1 thirty) of regular active commissioned officers assigned to
2 Federal penal and correctional institutions.

3 Salaries, Office of Surgeon General: For personal serv-
4 ices, \$450,000.

5 Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: For miscel-
6 laneous and contingent expenses necessary for the work of
7 the Public Health Service, including stationery supplies;
8 operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying
9 automobiles; contract stenographic reporting services; not
10 to exceed \$4,500 for the preparation of Public Health
11 exhibits, including personal services and the cost of acquir-
12 ing, transporting, and displaying exhibit materials; packing,
13 unpacking, crating, drayage, and transportation of personal
14 effects of commissioned officers on transfer from one official
15 station to another in the public interest when authorized by
16 the Surgeon General in the order directing such transfer;
17 not to exceed \$850 for lawbooks, books of reference, and
18 periodicals for the Office of the Surgeon General; nominal
19 compensation of collaborating epidemiologists and others;
20 and allowances for living quarters (not exceeding \$1,700
21 for any one person), including heat, fuel, and light, as author-
22 ized by the Act approved June 26, 1930 (5 U. S. C.
23 118a) ; \$195,000.

24 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
25 shall be available for preparation for shipment and trans-

portation to their former homes of remains of officers who die in line of duty.

SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Salaries and expenses: For support, clothing, and treatment in Saint Elizabeths Hospital of persons who have become insane since their entry into the armed forces of the United States, insane beneficiaries of the United States Employees' Compensation Commission, and all other insane persons whose admission to the hospital is authorized by law, including not exceeding \$27,000 for maintenance, repair, and operation of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, and not to exceed \$185,000 for repairs and improvements to buildings and grounds, and not to exceed \$15,000 for furnishing and laundering of such wearing apparel as may be prescribed for employees in the performance of their official duties, \$1,963,090, including cooperation with organizations or individuals in scientific research into the nature, causes, prevention, and treatment of mental illness, and including maintenance and operation of necessary facilities for feeding employees and others (at not less than cost), and the proceeds therefrom shall reimburse the appropriation for the institution; and not exceeding \$1,500 of this sum may be expended in the removal of patients to their friends; not exceeding \$1,500 for the purchase of such books, periodicals, and newspapers as may be required for the purposes of the

1 hospital and for the medical library, and not exceeding
2 \$1,500 for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in
3 the apprehension and return to the hospital of escaped
4 patients: *Provided*, That so much of this sum as may be
5 required shall be available for all necessary expenses in ascer-
6 taining the residence of inmates who are not or who cease
7 to be properly chargeable to Federal maintenance in
8 the institution and in returning them to such places of resi-
9 dence: *Provided further*, That not exceeding \$200 additional
10 may be paid to two employees to provide mail facilities for
11 patients in the hospital: *Provided further*, That during the
12 fiscal year 1944 the District of Columbia, or any branch of
13 the Government requiring Saint Elizabeths Hospital to care
14 for patients for which they are responsible, shall pay by check
15 to the Superintendent upon his written request, either in ad-
16 vance or at the end of each month, all or part of the esti-
17 mated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may
18 be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Eliza-
19 beths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject
20 to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper ad-
21 justments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients
22 paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as
23 may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint
24 Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia govern-

1 ment, department, or establishments concerned. All sums
2 paid to the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital for
3 the care of patients that he is authorized by law to receive
4 shall be deposited to the credit on the books of the Treasury
5 Department of the appropriation made for the care and
6 maintenance of the patients at Saint Elizabeths Hospital for
7 the year in which the support, clothing, and treatment is
8 provided, and be subject to requisition upon the approval of
9 the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

10 SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

11 Grants to States for old-age assistance: For grants to
12 States for assistance to aged needy individuals, as authorized
13 in title I of the Social Security Act, approved August 14,
14 1935, as amended, \$325,000,000, of which sum such amount
15 as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such
16 title I for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to
17 March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the
18 fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in
19 the fiscal year 1944 under such title I may be made with
20 respect to any State plan approved under such title I by the
21 Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no
22 such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
23 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was sub-
24 mitted to the Board for approval.

25 Grants to States for aid to dependent children: For

1 grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to
2 furnish financial assistance to needy dependent children,
3 as authorized in title IV of the Social Security Act, ap-
4 proved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$65,000,000, of which
5 sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available
6 for grants under such title IV for any period in the fiscal
7 year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That
8 payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year
9 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such
10 title IV may be made with respect to any State plan ap-
11 proved under such title IV by the Social Security Board
12 prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be
13 made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the
14 quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for
15 approval.

16 Grants to States for aid to the blind: For grants to
17 States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish
18 financial assistance to needy individuals who are blind, as
19 authorized in title X of the Social Security Act, approved
20 August 14, 1935, as amended, \$9,000,000, of which sum
21 such amount as may be necessary shall be available for
22 grants under such title X for any period in the fiscal year
23 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That pay-
24 ments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943
25 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title X

1 may be made with respect to any State plan approved under
2 such title X by the Social Security Board prior to or during
3 such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect
4 to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such
5 plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

6 The appropriations herein made for "Grants to States
7 for old-age assistance", "Grants to States for aid to depend-
8 ent children", and "Grants to States for aid to the blind",
9 shall be available interchangeably for transfer of appropria-
10 tions, but no such transfer shall be made except upon approval
11 of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

12 Salaries, Bureau of Public Assistance: For personal
13 services in the Bureau of Public Assistance in the District
14 of Columbia and elsewhere, \$900,000.

15 Grants to States for unemployment compensation ad-
16 ministration: For grants to States for unemployment compen-
17 sation administration, as authorized in title III of the Social
18 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended,
19 including rentals in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
20 \$30,000,000, of which such amounts as may be agreed upon
21 by the Board and the Postmaster General, shall be used for
22 the payment, in such manner as said parties may jointly
23 determine, of postage for the transmission of official mail
24 matter in connection with the unemployment compensation
25 administration of States receiving grants herefrom.

1 Salaries, Bureau of Employment Security: For personal
2 services in the Bureau of Employment Security in the Dis-
3 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, \$750,000.

4 Salaries, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance:
5 For personal services in the Bureau of Old-Age and Sur-
6 vivors' Insurance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
7 \$17,000,000.

8 Salaries, Offices of the Social Security Board: For per-
9 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of
10 the Social Security Board and its several offices and bureaus,
11 not otherwise appropriated for herein, \$3,250,000, including
12 the salary of an executive director at the rate of \$9,500 per
13 year,

14 Miscellaneous expenses, Social Security Board: For all
15 expenses, not otherwise appropriated for, necessary to enable
16 the Social Security Board to carry into effect the provisions
17 of the Social Security Act as amended (42 U. S. C. 301-
18 1305), including public instruction and information, and the
19 procurement of information relating to the death of individuals
20 entitled to benefits, receiving benefits, or upon whose death
21 some other individual may become entitled to benefits, under
22 title II of said Act, from proper State and local officials,
23 including officials of the District of Columbia, Alaska, and
24 Hawaii or individuals designated by such State and local
25 officials, and as authorized by the Administrator for personal

1 services on a piece-work basis or otherwise in connection
2 with the procurement of such information without regard to
3 section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the provisions of
4 other laws applicable to the employment and compensation
5 of officers and employees of the United States, which ex-
6 penses shall include reproducing and photographic equip-
7 ment; periodicals; purchase and exchange of lawbooks and
8 books of reference; library membership fees or dues in or-
9 ganizations which issue publications to members only or to
10 members at a lower price than to others, payments for which
11 may be made in advance; alterations and repairs; purchase
12 (not exceeding three), operation, maintenance, and repair
13 of passenger-carrying automobiles; \$3,000,000.

14 If during the fiscal years 1943 or 1944 functions
15 are transferred by the Federal Security Administrator
16 from or between any of the said offices or bureaus, the
17 Administrator may transfer from or between the appropria-
18 tions herein made for salaries for the Social Security Board
19 the amounts necessary for personal services in connection
20 with the functions so transferred.

21 Not to exceed 5 per centum of any of the foregoing
22 appropriations for salaries for the Social Security Board may,
23 subject to the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the
24 Budget, be transferred by the Administrator to any other

1 of such appropriations, but no appropriation may be increased
2 more than 5 per centum thereby.

3 Salaries, Office of the Administrator, \$146,000: *Pro-*
4 *vided*, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the
5 rate of \$15,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof
6 is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided*
7 *further*, That of the sum herein appropriated the Adminis-
8 trator may expend not to exceed \$2,500 for temporary em-
9 ployment of persons, by contract or otherwise, for special
10 services determined necessary by the Administrator, without
11 regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil-
12 service and classification laws.

13 COMMUNITY WAR SERVICES

14 For all expenses necessary to enable the Federal
15 Security Administrator to carry out the functions transferred
16 from the Office of Defense Health and Welfare Services
17 by Executive Order Numbered 9338, dated April 29, 1943,
18 including personal services in the District of Columbia and
19 elsewhere; the temporary employment of persons by con-
20 tract or otherwise without regard to section 3709 of the
21 Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification
22 laws; acceptance and utilization of voluntary and uncom-
23 pensated services; printing and binding; maintenance, opera-
24 tion, and repair of passenger-carrying motor-propelled

1 vehicles; and traveling expenses, including expenses, when
2 specifically authorized by the Administrator, of attendance
3 at meetings concerned with the purposes of this appropria-
4 tion and payment of actual transportation and other necessary
5 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
6 sistence of persons serving while away from their homes
7 in an advisory capacity to the Administrator without other
8 compensation from the United States, \$1,670,000: *Provided*,
9 That the Administrator may transfer from this appropria-
10 tion to appropriations available to any unit of the Federal
11 Security Agency designated by him to perform any of the
12 functions and duties transferred by Executive Order
13 Numbered 9338 such sums as are necessary for the per-
14 formance of such functions and duties by such other unit.

15 Salaries, Division of Personnel Supervision and Manage-
16 ment, \$120,000.

17 Salaries, Chief Clerk's Division, \$280,000.

18 Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, \$531,380.

19 Miscellaneous expenses, Office of Administrator: For
20 miscellaneous expenses of the Office of the Administrator in
21 the District of Columbia and elsewhere (except printing and
22 binding) ; examination of estimates for appropriations in the
23 field; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, other books of
24 reference, and periodicals; library membership fees or dues in
25 organizations which issue publications to members only or to

members at a lower price than to others, payment for which may be made in advance; and purchase, operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, \$75,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may transfer to this appropriation from appropriations of the constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of duplicating materials required in performance of duplicating work for such constituent organizations.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available for the Office of the Administrator in an amount not to exceed \$1,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings or conventions concerned with the work of the Federal Security Agency, when specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator; and not to exceed \$1,000 for payment of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory capacity to the Federal Security Agency.

Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency: For traveling expenses (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and constituent organizations thereof, including actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away

1 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
2 capacity to the Federal Security Agency; expenses, when
3 specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator,
4 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
5 Federal Security Agency; and reimbursement, at not to
6 exceed 3 cents per mile, for travel performed by employees
7 of the Federal Security Agency in privately owned auto-
8 mobiles and within the limits of their official stations, when
9 engaged in the investigation of claims or the furnishing or
10 securing of information concerning claims or wage records
11 under title II of the Social Security Act, as amended (42
12 U. S. C. 401-409), \$1,620,000: *Provided*, That all receipts
13 from non-Federal agencies representing reimbursement for
14 subsistence and other expenses of travel of employees of the
15 Office of Education performing advisory functions to said
16 agencies shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United
17 States to the credit of this appropriation: *Provided further*,
18 That the Federal Security Administrator may hereafter dele-
19 gate to such officers and employees as he may designate for
20 the purpose all his authority in connection with the transfer
21 of personnel and household goods and effects from one official
22 station to another.

23 Printing and binding, Federal Security Agency: For
24 printing and binding (not appropriated for elsewhere) for

1 the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and
2 constituent organizations thereof, including the purchase of
3 reprints of scientific and technical articles published in peri-
4 odicals and journals, \$900,000, of which \$567,700 shall
5 be solely for printed forms, tabulating cards, and tabulating
6 forms in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

7 In order that the Administrator may effectuate reor-
8 ganization plans submitted and approved pursuant to the
9 Reorganization Act of 1939, he may transfer to the fore-
10 going appropriations under this title from funds available for
11 administrative expenses of the constituent units of the Fed-
12 eral Security Agency such sums as represent a consolidation
13 in the Office of the Administrator of any of the administrative
14 functions of said constituent units: *Provided*, That no such
15 transfer of funds shall be made unless the consolidation of
16 administrative functions will result in a reduction of adminis-
17 trative salary and other expenses and such reduction is ac-
18 companied by savings in funds appropriated to the Federal
19 Security Agency, which savings shall not be expended for
20 any other purpose but shall be impounded and returned to
21 the Treasury.

22 The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer
23 to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security
24 Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and print-

1 ing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts
2 as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred
3 shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suit-
4 able titles and shall be available for the same purposes and
5 subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from
6 which transferred: *Provided*, That balances of any amounts
7 so transferred, or any part of such balances shall, upon
8 request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appro-
9 priations for traveling expenses and printing and binding,
10 Federal Security Agency.

11 None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the
12 Social Security Board for grants-in-aid of State agencies
13 to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said
14 agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and
15 employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said
16 agencies of any States which have established by legislative
17 enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social
18 Security Act and have in operation a merit system and
19 classification and compensation plan covering the selection,
20 tenure in office, and compensation of their employees. be-
21 cause of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner
22 of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the
23 rates of pay of said officers or employees.

24 This title may be cited as the "Federal Security Agency
25 Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the District of Columbia, including not to exceed \$1,000 for temporary experts and assistants in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, to be paid at a rate not exceeding \$8 per day, and for personal services in the field; for furniture and other equipment and repairs thereto; lawbooks, books of reference, periodicals; stationery and supplies; traveling expenses; fees and mileage of witnesses; contract stenographic reporting services; rent in the District of Columbia for the administration of the Act of May 17, 1928 (45 Stat. 600); and miscellaneous items; \$837,000.

Salaries and expenses, military bases (national defense): For all necessary expenses of the Employees' Compensation Commission in administering the Act of August 16, 1941 (55 Stat. 622), making applicable the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 U. S. C. 901) to military, air, and naval bases outside continental United States, including personal services in the District of Columbia; lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; printing and binding; fees and mileage of witnesses; stenographic reporting services, by contract or otherwise; purchase, maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled or horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles for use in the field;

1 \$25,000, together with the unexpended balance of appro-
2 priation for this purpose for the fiscal year 1943: *Provided*,
3 That section 3709, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to any
4 purchase or service outside continental United States when
5 the unit aggregate amount involved does not exceed \$500.

6 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
7 Employees' Compensation Commission, \$17,000.

8 Employees' compensation fund: For the payment of
9 compensation provided by "An Act to provide compensation
10 for employees of the United States suffering injuries while
11 in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes",
12 approved September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 785), including
13 medical examinations, traveling and other expenses, and loss
14 of wages payable to employees under sections 21 and 22; all
15 services, appliances, and supplies provided by section 9 as
16 amended, including payments to Army, Navy, and Veterans'
17 Administration hospitals; the transportation and burial ex-
18 penses provided by sections 9 and 11; and advancement of
19 costs for the enforcement of recoveries provided in sections
20 26 and 27 where necessary, accruing during the fiscal year
21 1944 or in prior fiscal years, \$6,850,000.

22 For the payment of compensation benefits (including
23 the advancement of costs for the enforcement of third party
24 recoveries, and payments to other Federal agencies for
25 medical and hospital services) authorized by the Act of

1 February 15, 1934 (5 U. S. C. 796), extending the Act
2 of September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 751), to persons render-
3 ing services as employees of the United States pursuant to
4 said Act of February 15, 1934, the Act of June 19, 1934
5 (48 Stat. 1056), and the several emergency relief and
6 National Youth Administration appropriation Acts and to
7 veterans and other persons included under title V of the
8 Act of June 29, 1936 (49 Stat. 2035), there is hereby
9 reappropriated the unexpended balance of the appropriation
10 "Employees' compensation fund emergency relief, 1943",
11 and of such special funds as have heretofore been established
12 in the Treasury pursuant to such Acts, of which \$435,820
13 shall be available for administrative expenses of the Em-
14 ployees' Compensation Commission of which latter sum not
15 to exceed \$75,000 may be added to the appropriation in
16 this Act for salaries and expenses, United States Employees'
17 Compensation Commission: *Provided*, That the Commission
18 shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment
19 and burial expenses, including transportation and other ex-
20 penses incidental to such services, treatment and burial, to
21 such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may
22 be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hos-
23 pital services and treatment at Government expense on
24 June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the
25 Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and

1 the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7,
2 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services,
3 treatment, and expenses.

4 This title may be cited as the "Employees' Compensation
5 Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

6 TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

7 Salaries: For three Board members of the National
8 Labor Relations Board and other personal services of the
9 Board in the District of Columbia and elsewhere necessary
10 in performing the duties imposed by law, \$1,915,000.

11 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
12 authorized and necessary expenditures, other than salaries,
13 of the National Labor Relations Board in performing duties
14 imposed by law or in pursuance of law, including repairs
15 and alterations; communication services; contract stenographic
16 reporting services; lawbooks; books of reference;
17 periodicals; and operation, maintenance, and repair of one
18 automobile, \$478,000.

19 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
20 the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and
21 elsewhere, \$220,000.

22 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
23 penses necessary to enable the National Labor Relations
24 Board to perform the duties imposed upon it by law or in
25 pursuance of law in connection with disputes involving labor

1 in industries under the national defense program, including
 2 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
 3 and other items otherwise properly chargeable to appro-
 4 priations of the National Labor Relations Board for miscel-
 5 laneous expenses and printing and binding, \$600,000.

6 This title may be cited as the "National Labor Relations
 7 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

8 TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

9 For three members of the Board, and for other author-
 10 ized expenditures of the National Mediation Board in per-
 11 forming the duties imposed by law, including contract steno-
 12 graphic reporting services; supplies and equipment; not
 13 to exceed \$200 for books of reference, and periodicals,
 14 \$184,500, of which amount not to exceed \$138,790 may be
 15 expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

16 Salaries and expenses, emergency panels, and so forth.
 17 National Mediation Board: For all necessary expenses of the
 18 National Railway Labor panel, including compensation of
 19 the members thereof at not to exceed \$50 per day and \$6
 20 per diem in lieu of subsistence on such days as they are
 21 actually engaged in performance of the duties of the panel;
 22 travel expenses of members of the panel, including such
 23 expenses to and from their homes or regular places of busi-
 24 ness; printing and binding; contract stenographic reporting
 25 services; and personal services in the District of Columbia

1 to enable the chairman of said panel to perform his functions
2 under Executive Order Numbered 9299, \$50,000.

3 Arbitration and emergency boards: To enable the
4 National Mediation Board to pay necessary expenses of
5 arbitration boards, and emergency boards appointed by the
6 President pursuant to section 10 of the Railway Labor Act
7 approved May 20, 1926 (45 U. S. C. 160), including com-
8 pensation of members and employees of such boards, together
9 with their necessary traveling expenses and expenses actu-
10 ally incurred for subsistence while so employed, and printing
11 of awards, together with proceedings and testimony relating
12 thereto, as authorized by the Railway Labor Act, including
13 also contract stenographic reporting service, and rent of
14 quarters when suitable quarters cannot be supplied in any
15 Federal building, the unexpended balance of previous ap-
16 propriations for these purposes shall be available.

17 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
18 the National Mediation Board, \$2,500.

19 NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

20 Salaries and expenses: For authorized expenditures of
21 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, in performing the
22 duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic re-
23 porting services and supplies and equipment, \$235,500, of
24 which \$62,500 shall be available only for compensation not
25 in excess of \$50 per day and expenses of referees, and not

1 more than \$118,680 for other personal services: *Provided*,
2 That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the fiscal
3 year 1944 to any person for services as referee.

4 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
5 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, \$17,500.

6 This title may be cited as the "National Mediation
7 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

8 TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

9 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
10 bia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed
11 by law, \$1,706,769.

12 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
13 necessary expenditures, other than salaries and printing and
14 binding, of the Railroad Retirement Board in performing
15 the duties imposed by law, including rent in the District
16 of Columbia and elsewhere; traveling expenses, including
17 not to exceed \$1,000 for expenses of attendance at meet-
18 ings concerned with the work of the Board when specifically
19 authorized by the Board; not to exceed \$2,500 for payment
20 of actual transportation and per diem (not to exceed \$10)
21 in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
22 serving while away from their homes without other com-
23 pensation in an advisory capacity to the Railroad Retire-
24 ment Board; repairs and alterations; contract stenographic
25 reporting services; other fees and compensation: sup-

1 plies and equipment (including photographic equipment) ;
2 not to exceed \$5,000 for lawbooks, books of reference,
3 periodicals, and for payment in advance when authorized
4 by the Board for library membership in organizations which
5 issue publications to members only or to members at a price
6 lower than to the general public; operation, maintenance,
7 and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles;
8 and expenses incident to moving the office of the Board
9 from one building to another, \$450,000.

10 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
11 Railroad Retirement Board, \$34,000.

12 Railroad retirement account: For an amount sufficient
13 as an annual premium for the payments required under the
14 Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, and
15 the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 24, 1937, and
16 authorized to be appropriated to the railroad retirement ac-
17 count established under section 15 (a) of the latter Act,
18 \$262,720,000, of which \$20,774,000 shall be immediately
19 available: *Provided*, That such total amount shall be avail-
20 able until expended for making payments required under
21 said retirement Acts, and the amount not required for current
22 payments shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury
23 in accordance with the provisions of said Railroad Retirement
24 Act of June 24, 1937.

1 This title may be cited as the "Railroad Retirement
2 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

3 TITLE VII—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESI-
4 DENT—OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGE-
5 MENT

6 WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

7 General administration: For all necessary expenses for
8 the general administration of the War Manpower Commis-
9 sion, including not to exceed \$10,000 for the employment of
10 aliens, not to exceed \$160,000 for printing and binding.
11 and not to exceed \$1,098,214 for travel expenses,
12 \$9,994,800.

13 APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

14 Apprentice training service: For all expenses necessary
15 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
16 to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training.
17 including printing and binding (not to exceed \$3,000),
18 and travel expenses (not to exceed \$100,000), \$465,500.

19 Apprentice training service (national defense): For
20 all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War
21 Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging
22 apprentice training in national defense industries, including
23 printing and binding (not to exceed \$15,000), and travel
24 expenses (not to exceed \$161,000), \$550,000.

1 EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

2 Employment office facilities and services: For all neces-
3 sary expenses of the War Manpower Commission in connec-
4 tion with the operation and maintenance of employment
5 office facilities and services, and the performance of functions,
6 duties, and powers relating to employment service transferred
7 to the War Manpower Commission by Executive Order Num-
8 bered 9247, including the recruitment and placement of
9 individuals for work or training in occupations essential to
10 the war effort; such expenses to include contract janitorial
11 services, at not to exceed \$300 for any individual; reim-
12 bursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel
13 performed by employees in privately owned automobiles
14 within the limits of their official station; printing and bind-
15 ing (not to exceed \$265,000); travel expenses (not to ex-
16 ceed \$1,980,000); and rent in the District of Columbia:
17 *Provided*, That payment of salaries may be made to em-
18 ployees while taking annual and sick leave based upon
19 unused leave accrued under State regulations found by the
20 Social Security Board to conform to the requirements of
21 title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and on the
22 basis of State employment which had been financed in whole
23 or in part from grants under title III of said Act, including
24 payment for accrued leave to be substituted for leave without
25 pay taken between January 1, 1942, and June 30, 1942,

1 which payment shall not exceed in any case the amount
2 payable for such purposes under Federal laws with respect
3 to the maximum accumulation of such leave: *Provided fur-*
4 *ther*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
5 may transfer funds from this appropriation to the Social
6 Security Board for "grants to States for unemployment com-
7 pensation administration" as authorized in title III of the
8 Social Security Act, as amended, to meet costs incurred by
9 States in making available to the War Manpower Commis-
10 sion premises, equipment, supplies, facilities, and services,
11 needed by the Commission in the operation and maintenance
12 of employment office facilities and services, any sum so
13 transferred and not expended in accordance with this proviso
14 to be retransferred to this appropriation, \$45,500,000: *Pro-*
15 *vided further*, That pending the return to State control after
16 the war emergency of the Employment Service facilities,
17 property, and personnel loaned by the States to the United
18 States Employment Service, no portion of the sum herein
19 appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for
20 any salary, to any individual engaged in employment-service
21 duties in any position within any local or field or State office,
22 which substantially exceeds the salary which would apply to
23 such position and individual if the relevant State merit sys-
24 tem applied and if State operation of such office had con-
25 tinued without interruption: *Provided further*, That no por-

tion of the sum herein appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for the salary of any person who is engaged for more than half of the time, as determined by the State director of unemployment compensation, in the administration of the State unemployment compensation act, including claims taking but excluding registration for work.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

PAR. 1. Youth work: For all expenses necessary to enable the National Youth Administration, which is hereby extended to and including June 30, 1944, under the supervision and direction of the War Manpower Commission, to provide employment and work training for young persons of the ages of sixteen to twenty-four, inclusive, on workshop and other projects approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission as needed in the prosecution of the war in furnishing work experience and work training preparatory to employment in occupations in which there is a present or potential shortage of labor, \$35,000,000, together with the unexpended balance of the appropriation for youth work, National Youth Administration, 1943: *Provided*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission is hereby authorized to issue exemptions from the age provisions of this paragraph when, in his judgment, the extension of such employment and work training to other persons is essential in providing workers in occupations needed

1 in the prosecution of the war. This appropriation shall be
2 available for the payment of project supervisory employees;
3 the procurement and maintenance of project facilities by con-
4 tract or otherwise, including the purchase of materials, sup-
5 plies, and equipment; purchase of two hundred and fifteen
6 passenger-carrying automobiles; operation of resident facili-
7 ties; travel expenses (not to exceed \$918,000) for travel
8 of supervisory employees in the performance of their official
9 duties, and transportation of trainees to, from, and between
10 projects, including the transfer of trainees to induction
11 projects for the purpose of placing such trainees in war pro-
12 duction industries; and the examination of applicants for
13 training to determine their physical fitness for subsequent
14 employment.

15 PAR. 2. To provide continuance of part-time employ-
16 ment for needy young persons in colleges and universities,
17 to enable such persons to continue their education,
18 \$3,000,000, together with not to exceed \$1,000,000 of the
19 unexpended balance of the appropriation for part-time em-
20 ployment of students, National Youth Administration, 1943.

21 PAR. 3. Salaries and expenses: For all expenses neces-
22 sary for carrying out the general administration of the pro-
23 grams set forth in paragraph 1 and paragraph 2, includ-
24 ing not to exceed \$250,000 for travel expenses, \$2,750,000.

1 PAR. 4. Printing and binding: For printing and binding
2 for the National Youth Administration, \$50,000.

3 PAR. 5. The Administrator of the National Youth Ad-
4 ministration shall, subject to the approval of the Chairman
5 of the War Manpower Commission, fix the monthly earnings
6 and hours of work for trainees engaged on work projects
7 financed in whole or in part from the appropriation in para-
8 graph 1, but such determination shall not have the effect of
9 establishing a national average labor cost per trainee on such
10 projects during the fiscal year 1944 substantially different
11 from the national average labor cost per such trainee on such
12 projects prevailing at the close of the fiscal year 1943. The
13 Administrator of the National Youth Administration, subject
14 to the approval of the Chairman of the War Manpower Com-
15 mission, is hereby authorized to fix monthly hours of work
16 for uncompensated trainees who are employed in and whose
17 wages are paid by private industrial concerns but who receive
18 training through use of project facilities as authorized in
19 paragraph 7 hereafter.

20 PAR. 6. Funds appropriated under paragraphs 1 and 2
21 shall be so apportioned and distributed over the period ending
22 June 30, 1944, and shall be so administered during such
23 period as to constitute the total amount that will be furnished
24 during such period for the purposes set forth in paragraphs
25 1 and 2.

1 PAR. 7. The National Youth Administration is author-
2 ized to receive reimbursements from other Federal or non-
3 Federal public agencies for the use of facilities and for the
4 cost of materials, and contributions for the operation of proj-
5 ects from Federal or non-Federal agencies in the form of
6 services, materials, or money; any money so received to be
7 deposited with the Treasurer of the United States. Such con-
8 tributions shall be expended or utilized as agreed upon be-
9 tween the contributing agency and the National Youth Ad-
10 ministration and such reimbursements shall be available for
11 the purposes of this appropriation. Workshop facilities and
12 personal services of project supervisory employees of the
13 National Youth Administration may be made available for
14 training of individuals who are employed in and whose wages
15 for such training are paid by private industrial concerns en-
16 gaged in the production of war materials or equipment: *Pro-*
17 *vided, however,* That individuals receiving such training shall
18 not be entitled to wage or salary payments from any funds
19 appropriated herein.

20 PAR. 8. The facilities and services of the United States
21 Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission
22 shall be utilized wherever possible in the selection and re-
23 ferral of trainees for employment and work training on
24 projects of the National Youth Administration.

25 PAR. 9. No alien shall be given employment or con-

1 tinued in employment on any work project prosecuted un-
2 der the appropriation in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 and
3 no part of the money appropriated in paragraph 1 or para-
4 graph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be available to pay any person
5 who has not made or who does not make affidavit that he
6 is a citizen of the United States, such affidavit to be con-
7 sidered prima facie evidence of such citizenship. This para-
8 graph shall not apply to citizens of the Commonwealth of
9 the Philippines or to persons who have been honorably dis-
10 charged from the armed forces of the United States.

11 PAR. 10. No person shall be employed or retained in
12 employment in any administrative position, or in any super-
13 visory position on any project, and no compensated or un-
14 compensated person shall receive assistance in the form
15 of payments, training, or otherwise from the United States
16 for services rendered under the National Youth Adminis-
17 tration, under the appropriation in paragraph 1 or paragraph
18 2 or paragraph 3 unless such person before engaging in
19 such employment or receiving such assistance subscribes to
20 the following oath:

21 “I, A B, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will
22 support and defend the Constitution of the United States
23 against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear
24 true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obli-
25 gation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of

1 evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the
2 duties of the office (or employment) on which I am about
3 to enter, or which I now occupy). So help me God.”

4 PAR. 11. Compensated and uncompensated administra-
5 tive and supervisory employees of the National Youth Ad-
6 ministration, designated for the purpose by the National
7 Youth Administrator, or his authorized representative, shall
8 have the general powers of notaries public in the adminis-
9 tration of oaths required by paragraphs 9 and 10 and the
10 execution and acknowledgment of other legal instruments,
11 and all forms of notarial acts determined by the National
12 Youth Administrator to be necessary for the effective prose-
13 cution of the National Youth Administration programs. No
14 fee shall be charged for oaths administered by such employees.

15 PAR. 12. No person who refuses prior to employment
16 to agree that he will accept employment in industry related
17 to national defense if and when offered in good faith shall
18 be eligible for employment on any project of the National
19 Youth Administration. The provisions of this paragraph
20 shall not apply to uncompensated trainees who are employed
21 in and who are paid by private industrial concerns.

22 PAR. 13. No portion of the appropriation in paragraph
23 1 or paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be used to pay any
24 compensation to any person who advocates, or who is a
25 member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of

1 the Government of the United States through force or
2 violence.

3 PAR. 14. No portion of the appropriations in paragraph
4 1 or paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be used to pay the
5 compensation of any civil-service employee, except persons
6 so appointed who are already employed by another agency
7 of the Government and are assigned or detailed to the
8 National Youth Administration.

9 PAR. 15. In carrying out the purposes of this appropri-
10 ation, the National Youth Administrator, or his authorized
11 representatives, subject to the approval of the Chairman
12 of the War Manpower Commission, is authorized to ac-
13 cept and utilize voluntary and uncompensated services;
14 to appoint and compensate officers and employees without
15 regard to civil-service laws or the Classification Act of 1923,
16 as amended, and to utilize, with the consent of the head
17 of the Federal agency by which they are employed, Federal
18 officers and employees, and with the consent of the State
19 or local government, State and local officers and employees
20 at such compensation as shall be determined by the National
21 Youth Administrator to be necessary without regard to
22 other laws governing the employment and compensation
23 of Federal employees.

24 PAR. 16. Appointments in any State to Federal posi-
25 tions of an administrative or advisory capacity under the

1 appropriation in paragraph 3 shall be made from among
2 the bona fide citizens of that State so far as not inconsistent
3 with efficient administration.

4 PAR. 17. In making separations from the Federal
5 service, or furloughs without pay to last as long as three
6 months, of persons employed within the District of Columbia,
7 under the provisions of paragraph 3, the appointing power
8 shall give preference, as nearly as good administration
9 will warrant, in retention to appointees from States that have
10 not received their share of appointments according to popula-
11 tion: *Provided, however,* That soldiers and sailors, and
12 marines, the widows of such, or the wives of injured soldiers,
13 sailors, and marines, who themselves are not qualified,
14 but whose wives are qualified to hold a position in the
15 Government service, shall be given preference in retention,
16 in their several grades and classes, where their ratings are
17 good or better.

18 PAR. 18. The provisions of the Act of February 15,
19 1934 (48 Stat. 351), as amended, relating to disability
20 or death compensation and benefits, shall apply to persons
21 receiving compensation from the appropriation in paragraph
22 1 for services rendered as employees of the United States:
23 *Provided,* That this section shall not apply in any case
24 coming within the purview of the workmen's compensation
25 law of any State, Territory, or possession, or in which the

1 claimant has received or is entitled to receive similar bene-
2 fits for injury or death: *Provided further*, That for carrying
3 out the purposes of this paragraph there shall be made
4 available to the United States Employees' Compensation
5 Commission from the appropriation in such paragraph 1
6 the sum of \$86,000, or so much thereof as such Commis-
7 sion, with the approval of the Bureau of the Budget, esti-
8 mates and certifies to the Secretary of the Treasury will
9 be necessary for such purposes.

10 PAR. 19. The funds appropriated by paragraph 1 hereof
11 shall be available for emergency hospitalization and medical
12 care, by reimbursement to Government hospitals or by con-
13 tract with other public or private hospitals, in cases of
14 critical illness or injury, of compensated trainees, who are
15 full-time residents of projects involving the maintenance
16 of trainees in camps or other resident facilities under the
17 supervision of the National Youth Administration.

18 PAR. 20. If the death of any trainee, employed and
19 compensated from funds provided under paragraph 1
20 hereof, occurs while such trainee is in transit to or in
21 residence at such camp or other resident facility men-
22 tioned in paragraph 19 hereof, or while undergoing
23 hospital treatment except for injuries sustained under con-
24 ditions which are covered by the benefits of the United
25 States Employees' Compensation Act as provided for in

1 paragraph 18 hereof, the funds appropriated under para-
2 graph 1 hereof shall be available for the payment of
3 necessary expenses of preparation of the body for burial,
4 interment or cremation (not to exceed a total of \$100 in
5 any one case), and for transportation of the remains, includ-
6 ing round-trip transportation and subsistence of an escort, to
7 the home of the decedent, or to such other place as relatives
8 of the decedent may designate if the distance to such other
9 place be not greater than the distance to the home of the
10 decedent: *Provided*, That when the expenses of the prepara-
11 tion and disposition of the remains, or any part of such ex-
12 penses, are paid by individuals, such individuals may be
13 reimbursed therefor.

14 PAR. 21. The National Youth Administrator, subject to
15 the approval of the Chairman of the War Manpower Com-
16 mission, is authorized to consider, ascertain, adjust, determine,
17 and pay from the appropriation in paragraph 1 any claim
18 arising out of operations thereunder accruing after June 30,
19 1943, on account of damage to, or loss of, privately owned
20 property caused by the negligence of any employee of the
21 National Youth Administration, while acting within the
22 scope of his employment. No claim shall be considered
23 hereunder which is in excess of \$500 or which is not presented
24 in writing within one year from the date of accrual thereof.
25 Acceptance by a claimant of the amount allowed on account

1 of his claim shall be deemed to be in full settlement thereof,
2 and the action upon such claim so accepted by the claimant
3 shall be conclusive.

4 PAR. 22. Any person who knowingly and with intent to
5 defraud the United States makes any false statement in con-
6 nection with any application for any project authorized in
7 paragraph 1, or diverts, or attempts to divert, or assists in
8 diverting, for the benefit of any person or persons not en-
9 titled thereto, any portion of the appropriations in paragraphs
10 1, 2, 3, or 4 or any services or real or personal property ac-
11 quired thereunder, or who knowingly, by means of any fraud,
12 force, threat, intimidation, or boycott, or discrimination on ac-
13 count of race, religion, political affiliations, or membership in a
14 labor organization, deprives, or attempts to deprive, or assists
15 in depriving any person of any of the benefits to which he
16 may be entitled under such appropriation, shall be deemed
17 guilty of a felony and fined not more than \$2,000 or impris-
18 oned not more than two years, or both. The provisions of
19 this paragraph shall be in addition to, and not in substitution
20 for, any other provisions of existing law.

21 PAR. 23. All training or educational programs other than
22 work and training on the project location incidental to the
23 supervision of a work program being conducted thereon for
24 youth employed by the National Youth Administration on
25 work projects shall be under the control and supervision of

1 the State boards for vocational education of the several States
2 and shall be paid for out of appropriations made to the Office
3 of Education and expended by the States pursuant to plans
4 submitted by State boards for vocational education and ap-
5 proved by the Commissioner of Education.

6 PAR. 24. Section 3709 of the Revised Statutes shall not
7 be construed to apply to any purchase with funds appro-
8 priated for the National Youth Administration when the
9 aggregate amount involved in such purchase does not exceed
10 the sum of \$300.

11 PAR. 25. Whenever the Chairman of the War Man-
12 power Commission shall determine that the facilities of any
13 shop project of the National Youth Administration can con-
14 tribute more effectively to the prosecution of the war if
15 operated by another department or agency of the Govern-
16 ment, or by another public agency, he may direct the trans-
17 fer of such facilities to such department or agency.

18 PAR. 26. Property and facilities which are declared
19 surplus to the needs of the program as provided in para-
20 graph 1 may be transferred, upon such terms as may be ap-
21 proved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission,
22 but without cost to the United States for transportation or
23 otherwise, to school districts, municipalities, counties, States,
24 or other non-Federal public agencies, without regard to other
25 Federal law or regulation.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Salaries and expenses, Selective Service System, War
Manpower Commission: For all expenses necessary for the
operation and maintenance of the Selective Service System
as authorized by the Selective Training and Service Act of
1940 (50 U. S. C. App. 301) ; including not to exceed
\$640,000 for printing and binding; \$51,856,000: *Provided*,
That such amounts as may be necessary shall be available
for the planning, directing, and operation of a program of
work of national importance under civilian direction, either
independently or in cooperation with governmental or non-
governmental agencies, and the assignment and delivery
thereto of individuals found to be conscientiously opposed to
participation in work of the land or naval forces, which co-
operation with other agencies may include the furnishing of
funds to and acceptance of money, services, or other forms
of assistance from such nongovernmental agencies for the
more effectual accomplishment of the work; and including
also the pay and allowances of such individuals at rates not
in excess of those paid to persons inducted into the Army
under the Selective Service System, and such privileges as
are accorded such inductees: *Provided further*, That the
travel of persons engaged in the administration of the Selec-
tive Service System, including commissioned, warrant, or
enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or

1 their reserve components, may be ordered by the Director
2 or by such persons as he may authorize, and persons so trav-
3 eling shall be entitled to transportation and subsistence or
4 per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized by law:
5 *Provided further*, That the Director of Selective Service, in
6 prescribing per diem rates of allowance, not exceeding \$6,
7 in lieu of subsistence for officers of the Army, Navy, and
8 Marine Corps, and of the reserve components thereof, travel-
9 ing on official business and away from their designated posts
10 of duty, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 12 of the
11 Act approved June 16, 1942 (37 U. S. C. 112), is hereby
12 authorized to prescribe such per diem rates of allowance,
13 whether or not orders are given to such officers for travel to
14 be performed repeatedly between two or more places in the
15 same vicinity, and without regard to the length of time away
16 from their designated posts of duty under such orders.

17 TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

18 Training-within-industry service, War Manpower Com-
19 mission (national defense): For all expenses necessary
20 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
21 sion to promote and facilitate on-the-job training and
22 maximum utilization of workers by industries and activities
23 essential to the war by affording training to supervisory
24 personnel; including the temporary employment of persons
25 by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709

1 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classifica-
2 tion laws; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per
3 mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately
4 owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations;
5 printing and binding (not to exceed \$50,000); and travel
6 expenses (not to exceed \$300,440), \$1,686,000.

7 SEC. 702. The general provisions under the caption
8 "Executive Office of the President—Office for Emergency
9 Management", contained in the National War Agencies
10 Appropriation Act, 1944, and applicable to the constituent
11 agencies of the Office for Emergency Management con-
12 tained therein shall be applicable in the same manner to
13 the War Manpower Commission and the appropriations
14 therefor contained in this title.

15 SEC. 703. This title may be cited as the "War Man-
16 power Commission Appropriation Act, 1944."

17 TITLE VIII—GENERAL PROVISIONS

18 SEC. 801. No part of any appropriation contained in
19 this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any
20 position for which he or she has been nominated after the
21 Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said
22 person.

23 SEC. 802. No part of any appropriation contained in
24 this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any

1 person who advocates, or who is a member of an organi-
2 zation that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of
3 the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for
4 the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima
5 facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not
6 advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advo-
7 cates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States
8 by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person
9 who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that
10 advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United
11 States by force or violence and accepts employment the
12 salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation
13 contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon
14 conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or impris-
15 oned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*,
16 That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and
17 not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

18 SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training
19 of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available
20 for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after
21 cessation of hostilities in the present war.

22 SEC. 804. No part of any appropriation contained in
23 this Act shall be impounded or withheld from obligation
24 or expenditure by any agency or official other than the

1 head of the department or independent establishment to
2 which such appropriation is made.

3 SEC. 805. This Act may be cited as the "Labor-Federal
4 Security Appropriation Act, 1944".

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Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

By Mr. HARE

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY, AND RELATED INDEPENDENT OFFICES APPROPRIA- TION BILL, FISCAL YEAR, 1944

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Mr. HARE, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the
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R E P O R T

[To accompany H. R. 2935]

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report
in explanation of the accompanying bill making appropriations for
the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
independent agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944.

APPROPRIATIONS AND ESTIMATES

The Budget estimates of appropriations forming the basis of con-
sideration for committee action will be found in the Budget for the
fiscal year 1944 on the pages indicated in the following table:

Department or agency:	<i>Pages upon which estimates appear in 1944 Budget</i>
Department of Labor.....	567 to 581, inclusive
Federal Security Agency.....	127 to 173, inclusive
Employees' Compensation Commission.....	58 to 61, inclusive
National Labor Relations Board.....	88 to 89, inclusive
National Mediation Board.....	89 to 90, inclusive
Railroad Retirement Board.....	91 to 94, inclusive
War Manpower Commission.....	House Doc. 173

Supplemental estimates submitted since the regular Budget are
included in House Documents 134, 160, 168, 177, 191, 195, and 200.

GENERAL ANALYSIS

The bill carries total direct appropriations of \$1,086,562,499.
This sum is \$114,093,524 less than the appropriations, \$1,200,656,023,
for 1943, and \$117,468,611 less than the Budget estimates, \$1,204,-
031,110, for 1944. A detailed comparison of the amounts carried in
the bill, the Budget estimates and the appropriations for 1943 by
items will be found in appendix E on page 26 of this report.

National defense items.—A number of the items carried in the bill are for the support of national defense activities and a detailed statement of these items will be found in appendix A on page 23 of this report. The total carried for national defense purposes, \$256,226,300, is \$87,212,700 less than the Budget estimates, \$343,439,000, for 1944, and a decrease of \$93,172,217 under the appropriations, \$349,398,517, for 1943.

Mandatory items.—Many of the items in the bill are for grants to States for cooperation in programs which have been established under law and for other purposes, costs of which are determined by operation of the various statutes involved and over which it is possible to exercise little or no control. A detailed statement of these items will be found in appendix B on page 24 of this report. The committee has studied these items carefully and made reductions wherever possible. Severe cuts, however, cannot be made unless the Congress should determine to amend the basic statutes. The amount for such items carried in the bill, \$740,815,000, is a reduction of \$25,128,000 in the Budget estimate, \$765,943,000, for 1944, and a decrease of \$20,541,000 under the appropriations, \$761,356,000, for 1943.

Eliminating the funds for national defense, \$256,226,300, and the funds for mandatory items, \$740,815,000, or a total of \$997,041,300, from the aggregate of the bill, \$1,086,562,499, leaves a net of \$89,521,199, which represents the funds appropriated for administrative expenses and for the cost of directing Federal activities which is subject to some control. This represents a reduction of \$1,652,824 below the Budget estimate. It should also be noted that much of the amount for administrative expenses is for the cost of administration of the mandatory items referred to above. It would be poor economy indeed, and would cost the Government money in the long run to provide inadequate funds for administration of these large programs. For example, the Social Security Board is operating the largest insurance business in the history of the world. The committee has made some reductions in the estimates for administrative expenses of the Board but has not found it possible materially to change them, as to do so would provide such inadequate management services as to cause the Government substantial losses.

Trust accounts and permanent appropriations.—In addition to the annual appropriations carried in the bill, permanent appropriations automatically available under the law in the amount of \$9,550,000, set forth in appendix D on page 25 of this report, are available to the Office of Education for vocational education. Special and trust accounts totaling \$260,127,645, an increase of \$7,895,329 over current year appropriations, are also available for expenditure by the various agencies. A statement of these special and trust accounts is included as appendix C on page 25 of this report.

IMPOUNDMENT OF FUNDS BY THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET

The Bureau of the Budget has followed the practice in connection with the items for the agencies appropriated for in this bill, as in the case of other agencies of the Government, of impounding certain portions of appropriations. The committee, in reporting the Federal Security appropriation bill for 1943 made a reduction in the general appropriation for printing and binding, but stated that the allocation for printing and binding for the Office of Education should not be reduced below the amount proposed in the Budget estimate. This

action was not disturbed by subsequent legislative procedures and it was clearly the intent of the Congress that the Office of Education should have the full amount of the allocation. Subsequent to enactment of the law the Bureau of the Budget placed a reserve against the appropriation for printing and binding for the Federal Security Agency which resulted in a reduction in the allocation for printing and binding for the Office of Education in the amount of \$8,871, and this fund was withheld from expenditure. The committee considers this and other similar actions by the Bureau of the Budget in past years an unwarranted exercise of authority and does not believe that the Bureau of the Budget should have such authority if it is to be used directly to thwart the will of the Congress. Therefore, the committee has inserted a provision, section 804 of the bill, to prevent any agency or official other than the head of a department or independent establishment to which the appropriation is made, from impounding or withholding from obligation any part of any appropriation carried in the act.

DEPARTMENTAL JUSTIFICATION STATEMENTS

The Labor Department, Federal Security Agency, and the National Labor Relations Board have made marked improvement over previous years in the explanatory notes in justification of the estimates submitted to the committee. The adequacy of the information supplied, coupled with the brevity of the statements and the uniformity of style which has been adopted, have greatly facilitated the work of the committee. The War Manpower Commission submitted voluminous and involved statements which were difficult to analyze and which required a great deal of time on the part of the committee. It is suggested that in the preparation of future budget data the responsible officials of the Commission give attention to eliminating unnecessary matter and to preparing all justifications on a uniform basis.

SPECIAL RULE FOR CONSIDERATION IN THE HOUSE

Inasmuch as a number of items in the bill are not authorized by law, it will be necessary to secure a special rule waiving points of order if the House is to give consideration to these items. The committee will make the usual request to the Committee on Rules for a rule. It has been necessary for a period of years to secure such a rule but if any activity is to be continued on more than a temporary emergency basis it should have legislative authority and the committee desires to give notice that it will not, after this year, request a rule waiving points of order on appropriations for the agencies involved.

TITLE I.—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

The amount recommended for the Department is \$27,325,050, which is \$1,566,670 more than the current appropriations and \$3,402,750 less than the total Budget estimates. Included in the total for 1944 is the sum of \$15,200,000 for grants to States for maternal and child health, aid to crippled children, child welfare, and emergency maternity and infant care for wives and children of men in the armed forces. The remainder of the total, \$12,125,050, represents all other expenses of administration and operation of the other functions of the Department and its bureaus.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

The amount carried in the bill, \$352,000, is a reduction of \$34,000 under the Budget estimate, \$386,000, and a reduction of \$34,000 under comparable appropriations, \$386,125, for 1943. On account of reductions in other items for the Department of Labor, which will lessen to some degree the necessity for supervisory functions in the Office of the Secretary, this reduction should not interfere with necessary work to be performed. Of the amount in this item, \$102,000 was estimated for the Personnel Division, and reductions in salary items for the Department should reflect a direct reduction in the volume of personnel work.

OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR

The bill provides \$715,000, a reduction of \$126,000 in the Budget estimate, and \$126,532 in comparable appropriations for 1943. A table of work-load statistics, which appears on page 35 of the hearings, indicates a marked decrease in volume of work handled by the office. It will be noted that in the fiscal year 1941, 1,690 civil cases for injunction were instituted, while in the fiscal year 1942, 1,193 such cases were instituted, and in the first 6 months of 1943, 320 cases, or at the rate of 640 per year, were filed. Other classes of work have also materially reduced and the trend, generally, is downward. The reduction, therefore, which approximates 15 percent, should not interfere with the handling of necessary work.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES

A reduction of \$15,450 below the Budget estimate of \$182,000 has been effected. The amounts allowed for the various activities in the Department are set forth in the following table:

Office of the Secretary.....	\$30, 500
Office of the Solicitor.....	9, 000
Division of Labor Standards.....	5, 000
Conciliation Service.....	4, 550
Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	52, 000
Children's Bureau.....	20, 000
Women's Bureau.....	4, 000
Wage and Hour Division.....	11, 500
Total.....	166, 550

The reduction below the estimate is commensurate with reductions in salary items for the various bureaus.

TRAVEL EXPENSES

A reduction of \$140,000 below the Budget estimate, \$1,232,000, has been effected. The amounts allowed for the various activities of the Department are set forth in the following table:

Office of the Secretary.....	\$13, 600
Office of Solicitor.....	51, 000
Division of Labor Standards.....	19, 000
Conciliation Service.....	169, 000
Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	98, 000
Children's Bureau.....	151, 800
Women's Bureau.....	22, 000
Wage and Hour Division.....	567, 600
Total.....	1, 092, 000

The reduction below the estimate is commensurate with reductions in salary items for the various bureaus.

PRINTING AND BINDING

The bill provides \$263,500, a reduction of \$20,500 below the Budget for printing and binding. The amounts allowed for the various activities of the Department are set forth in the following table:

Office of the Secretary.....	\$13, 700
Office of the Solicitor.....	6, 800
Division of Labor Standards.....	9, 000
Conciliation Service.....	600
Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	95, 600
Children's Bureau.....	78, 000
Women's Bureau.....	12, 000
Wage and Hour Division.....	48, 500
Total.....	263, 500

The reduction is commensurate with the reductions in other items in the bill. However, while the amount allowed for printing for the Children's Bureau is \$8,000 less than the amount proposed in the Budget, and \$10,400 less than the amount appropriated for 1943, the Bureau, in absorbing the reduction, will not reduce the number of the publications, Infant Care and Prenatal Care, printed for distribution. These are very useful and popular publications and the maximum number should be made available.

WORKING CONDITIONS SERVICE

A supplemental estimate in the amount of \$1,142,000 to provide a Working Conditions Service in the Division of Labor Standards was submitted in House Document 160. The entire amount was disallowed by the committee. According to the testimony of the Secretary of Labor and representatives of the Department, the purpose of the appropriation was to attack the problem of absenteeism in industry. While the committee recognizes the seriousness of the situation, it is not convinced that an appropriation in the amount proposed would be of material assistance. Practically every bureau of the Department in its appearance before the committee referred to its activities in meeting the absentee situation. Information before the committee indicates that other agencies of the Government are also engaged in activity along similar lines. While the committee has approved the appropriations for the Division of Labor Standards for its work in connection with improvement of health and safety of employees in industry, it has not been impressed with the accomplishments of the Division in that field and it does not appear that the very worth-while objective sought would be attained by giving the Division of Labor Standards additional funds.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

The regular annual item, \$1,100,000, is approved in the full amount of the estimate and the original Budget estimate, \$862,000, for national defense activities of this Bureau, is approved in full. A supplemental estimate for national defense activity in the amount of \$363,000 is reduced to \$300,000. The supplemental estimate

included \$55,000 for a survey of the cost of living in the territories. The committee does not believe this survey should be conducted unless the cost thereof can be absorbed by the reduction of other activities.

CHILDREN'S BUREAU

Maternity and infant care (national defense).—The committee has approved \$4,000,000 of the estimate of \$4,800,000 for the maternity care of the wives and infants of men in the armed forces. There is no means of accurately determining the amount which will be required for this purpose. The estimate was calculated to provide care for all births of children of men in the armed services in the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh pay grades which it is reasonable to expect will occur during the fiscal year, but there is no reason to suppose that it will be necessary to provide assistance in all cases. The language of the appropriation as submitted would have restricted such assistance to the wives and infants of enlisted men in the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh pay grades. However, the evidence indicates that there are certain hardship cases in the first, second, and third pay grades which are just as appealing as those in the lower pay grades, and the committee has stricken from the paragraph the provision which would prevent aid to the first three pay grades. In expending the appropriation, first consideration should be given to the lower four pay grades, but the Department should render assistance where circumstances require, to wives of men in the first three pay grades. The amount appropriated should be sufficient to care for all needs.

Fair Labor Standards Act.—The amount carried in the bill, \$200,000, is a reduction of \$53,000 below the Budget estimate, and \$51,660 below the appropriation for 1943. In view of the fact that this statute has been in force for a period of 4 years and it is no longer necessary to carry on the amount of educational work as was necessary in earlier years, the amount allowed should be sufficient to provide all services necessary to proper enforcement.

Maternal and child welfare.—The bill provides \$350,000, a reduction of \$28,000 below the estimate and \$25,795 below the 1943 appropriation, for salaries and expenses in administering the maternal and child welfare program. Three appropriations for grants to States—maternal and child welfare service, \$5,820,000; services for crippled children, \$3,870,000, and child welfare services, \$1,510,000—are administered under this appropriation. These three appropriations are in the same amounts as have been appropriated for the past 4 years. As the program progresses, it should be possible to reduce the amount necessary for administrative expenses.

In connection with the appropriation bills for 1942 and 1943, the committee called attention to the action of the Children's Bureau in discriminating between persons licensed under State law to practice healing arts. The committee has been repeatedly assured by the Department that proper steps would be taken to obviate any discrimination but to date no definite action in that direction has been taken. The Children's Bureau has now arranged to have a study made to determine the relative merits of various types of schools giving instruction in healing arts. This is a matter which, in the

judgment of the committee, lies entirely within the jurisdiction of the States. The States have established standards for licensing health practitioners and the Federal Government has never attempted to establish such standards. In the judgment of the committee, the Children's Bureau has not the power under law either to establish such standards or to question the standards established by the States. It is not the desire of the committee, of course, to permit the use of Federal funds to break down safeguards against the practice of healing arts by improperly and inadequately trained persons, but the committee does believe that the State laws and standards constitute the necessary protection for the public. Therefore, the committee has included in the bill a provision denying the use of the appropriation to promulgate or carry out any order, instruction, or regulation which has for its purpose the discrimination between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

During the past year the Wage and Hour Division and Division of Public Contracts have been consolidated under the title of Wage and Hour Division. The Wage and Hour Division previously was charged only with enforcement of the Fair Labor Standards Act, and the Division of Public Contracts was charged with the enforcement of the Walsh-Healey Act, relating to labor standards and the working conditions of employees of private industry engaged on Government contracts. In 1941 the Committee on Appropriations suggested in its report on the Labor Department appropriation bill that these two divisions should be consolidated as their work was so similar and so often overlapped that overhead expenses involved in maintaining two separate organizations should be eliminated. This consolidation has now been accomplished and the estimates for 1944 were submitted on that basis. The previous Division of Public Contracts carried two appropriations, a regular annual item in the amount of \$264,600, and a national defense item in the amount of \$155,000. The estimates consolidated the regular item with the items for salaries and expenses of the Wage and Hour Division but proposed to continue the national defense item in the amount of \$141,000.

The estimate for salaries, Wage and Hour Division, is \$4,500,000. The committee has reduced the item to \$3,750,000; has eliminated the national-defense item, \$141,000; and has reduced the item for miscellaneous expenses from a Budget estimate of \$280,000 to \$250,000. The laws enforced by this division have now been in effect for a period of approximately 4 years. Labor unions and industry, generally, are now entirely familiar with their provisions, and in the judgment of the committee, it is now possible to eliminate much of the work which was necessary during the first few years to acquaint employers with their responsibilities, and employees with their rights and privileges under the law. The reduction which has been made will leave a sufficient amount of money to investigate all complaints of violation and to make enough spot-check investigations to learn what degree of compliance is being maintained.

TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

The amount recommended for the Federal Security Agency is \$672,842,380, which sum is \$92,746,996 less than the current appropriations and \$39,643,930 under the budget estimates.

CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

The 1943 Appropriation Act provided for liquidation of the Civilian Conservation Corps, and carried an appropriation of \$8,000,000 for the purpose. Of this amount approximately \$1,500,000 will be returned to the Treasury. The business of the Corps has been wound up in a highly satisfactory fashion, its property disposed of expeditiously, and its records collated for historical purposes in a remarkably efficient manner. Mr. McEntee, the Director of the Corps, who managed the liquidation, is to be highly commended for the very businesslike manner in which he has proceeded.

It has not been possible, however, to dispose of all camp sites and there remain a number of complex problems requiring attention. At the suggestion of Mr. McEntee, who has already left the service, the committee is reappropriating \$20,000 to the Office of the Federal Security Administrator for use during 1944 in disposing of these remaining matters.

Inasmuch as the Civilian Conservation Corps Act expires on June 30, 1943, it is necessary to extend the authority of the act for one more year for the purposes of liquidation. The provision for reappropriation carried in the bill includes a clause for this purpose but it restricts its application to the function of liquidation during 1944.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

The appropriation for enforcement operations of the Food and Drug Administration, \$2,200,000, is \$123,580 below the Budget estimate, and below the appropriation for 1943. Inasmuch as the Army, the Navy, and the Lend-Lease Administration are inspecting all foods purchased by those branches of the Government—and they represent a large part of the total food production of the country—it is the judgment of the committee that the remaining inspection services necessary can be carried on with the reduced amount of money provided in the bill.

FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

The appropriations for Freedmen's Hospital totaling \$686,000, are in the amounts submitted in the Budget estimate. In connection with the appropriation bill for 1943, the committee called attention to numerous evidences of irregularities and inadequate administrative control of the affairs of the institution. In the past year the Dean of the Medical College at Howard University has been designated to serve also as superintendent of the hospital and the committee is glad to note some improvement in the management of the business affairs of the hospital, particularly in connection with the collection of bills. A larger proportion of patients in the hospital are now pay patients, or at least part-pay patients, but it appears there is room for further improvement in this direction. After inquiry into the

administrative affairs of the hospital, it is the judgment of the committee that, in addition to those consummated, certain adjustments in personnel should be made, looking toward the procurement of the most competent persons available for certain key positions.

The estimate provided for reimbursement at the rate of \$6,200 per annum by the hospital to Howard University so long as the Dean of the School of Medicine of the University serves as superintendent of the hospital. This provision has been stricken from the bill, as it would appear that the two positions are of such importance and require such close attention to detail, that one man should not attempt to serve in both capacities. This action is in no way a reflection on the present dean of the medical school and superintendent, who appears to be well qualified for either position.

HOWARD UNIVERSITY

The amount provided for salaries, \$591,240, is a reduction of \$6,760 below the Budget estimate, and an increase of \$3,440 above current year appropriations. The amount of the increase is the amount necessary to carry on an annual basis the salaries of certain personnel provided on a part-year basis in a deficiency appropriation act for 1943. The additional increase, which was denied by the committee, contemplated the employment of new personnel, but in view of the fact that college enrollments are generally lower than in years past, and the prospect is that the same situation will obtain during the next year, the committee felt that it was not justified in granting increased personnel at this time.

OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Salaries.—The amount carried in the bill, \$294,400, is a reduction of \$29,600 under the Budget estimate, \$324,000, and \$5,600 under the appropriation for 1943. Inasmuch as the Office of Education has a large item for salaries and expenses for emergency work necessary under the war program, it is the judgment of the committee that no increase in the regular item should be provided at this time. Adjustments in this item should be left for consideration at the conclusion of the war period when the normal activities of the office, which are rather largely dislocated by wartime activity can be restudied. The amount of \$5,600, a reduction below 1943, is the salary of the Director of the Adult and Civic Education Unit. In a deficiency bill for 1942, the Office of Education sought an appropriation to carry on a Forum Advisory Service. An estimate for this purpose was also submitted in connection with the regular bill for 1943. Both items were denied by the Congress. However, it appears that the Adult and Civic Education Unit is carrying on the functions which were proposed to be carried on by the Forum Advisory Service had it been allowed. The description of the duties of the Assistant to the Director of the Unit, as set forth in a Civil Service Commission Classification Sheet for that position, includes the following:

Under general supervision of the Director of the Forum Advisory Service; to act as the latter's assistant and also to be responsible for developing the publications program of the Service.

The name of the Division shown on this classification sheet was originally shown as "Forum Advisory Service". This title was crossed out and "Adult and Civic Education" inserted.

The salary of this position, \$3,800, and that of the third position in the Unit, \$1,620, are paid out of the appropriation for salaries, Vocational Education, and these amounts have been eliminated from that item. Appropriations for the operation of a Forum Advisory Service, have now been denied three times and the committee desires to state emphatically that this activity must be abolished.

In the appropriation bill for 1943 a reduction below 1942 appropriations was effected. However, the committee is informed that the Office of Education did not abolish a single position to absorb that reduction, but merely carried vacancies as they occurred for a sufficient length of time to absorb the full amount. In presenting the estimates for 1944 an amount was included to restore this reduction without showing any new positions therefor. The committee does not consider the practice followed by the Office of Education as compliance with the mandate of Congress. When reductions are made below current levels the Congress contemplates that the agencies involved will reduce the number of positions to such number as can be carried on an annual basis within the limits of available funds. In applying the reductions in items for 1944 the Office of Education will adjust its organization so as to include only such positions as can be paid for on an annual basis with the money available.

Defense training.—The appropriations for defense training by the Office of Education in the appropriation bill for 1943 provided for supervision and direction by the Federal Security Administrator. Subsequent to enactment of the law certain training activities of various agencies of the Government were transferred by Executive order to the War Manpower Commission, and in connection with such transfer supervision of defense training functions of the Office of Education was vested in the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission. While the change did not appear to be particularly important in view of the fact that the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission and the Federal Security Administrator were one and the same individual, the fact is that supervision of the defense training functions of the Office of Education was vested in the Bureau of Training in the War Manpower Commission. In order that the training programs might be properly integrated and coordinated, the Bureau of Training in the War Manpower Commission should have some voice in the type of training to be carried on by the Office of Education, but it is not necessary that the Bureau of Training have general supervision and control over the Office of Education in order to attain the proper degree of coordination. The Budget estimates for 1944 contemplated supervision and direction by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission rather than the Federal Security Administrator, and the committee has amended the language of the appropriating paragraph in order to provide for general supervision and direction by the Federal Security Administrator and give the War Manpower Commission authority to determine the types of courses.

Training of defense workers.—The amount carried in the bill, \$90,000,000, is \$10,000,000 less than the Budget estimate, and \$14,000,000 less than the amount provided for 1943. In making the reduction it is not the purpose of the committee to reduce the training program so long as it is necessary to continue to train new workers. However, the peak of production in many lines is being reached rapidly. As these

goals are attained the number of new workers to be trained must of necessity decline. Furthermore, as the end of the war approaches, certain lines of manufacturing will be curtailed sharply and the number of workers reduced on that account. The impact of these reductions on the labor market will be reflected immediately in the necessity for training courses of the type herein provided. It is not now possible to predict accurately the number of persons necessary to be trained in 1944. If, in order to maintain production schedules, it is necessary to keep the training program proceeding at full capacity during the entire fiscal year, the \$90,000,000 allowed by the committee will not be sufficient, and it will be necessary to consider a deficiency appropriation.

College short courses.—The amount recommended, \$25,000,000, is a reduction of \$5,000,000 under the Budget estimate and under the amount appropriated for 1943. This appropriation is intended to defray the expense of giving additional training and refresher courses to engineers, chemists, physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to the national defense. It has been in operation for 2 years and it should now be possible to begin curtailment of this type of training, inasmuch as defense industry is rapidly approaching peak production. With the attainment of peak production, requirements for additional persons in these technical fields will be reduced and \$25,000,000 should provide all of this type of training required in 1944.

Visual aids for war training.—The amount recommended, \$2,000,000, is an increase of \$1,000,000 above the appropriation for 1943, and a reduction of \$462,000 below the Budget estimate. Under the plans adopted by the Office of Education the appropriation is used to pay the cost of producing the master film. Copies of the master film are sold at a price which covers only the cost of making the copy. There appears to be no justification for selling these films at less than the total cost of production, and the committee has included a provision in the bill requiring that the price be fixed at a rate which will reimburse the Government for all its expenses in connection therewith.

Rural war training.—This appropriation, in the amount of \$12,500,000, is an increase of \$1,000,000 above the Budget estimate, and a reduction of \$2,500,000 below the appropriation for 1943. The language of the appropriating paragraph has been redrafted to provide for training of all available persons in rural areas for all types of necessary work in connection with food production, and to protect the control of the program by the vocational-school systems.

Loans to students.—In the 1943 appropriation act a fund of \$5,000,000 was provided for loans to students of engineering, physics, chemistry, medicine, and dentistry whose technical or professional education could be completed within 2 years. Of this amount slightly less than \$3,000,000 will have been expended at the end of the fiscal year. No estimate for a similar program in 1944 was included in the Budget, but the committee, feeling that the program should be carried an additional year to enable those students who were beneficiaries of loans in 1943 but whose courses will not be completed until 1944, has included a provision reappropriating the unexpended balance and making it available under the same terms and on the same conditions as the original appropriation, except that it will be available only for students whose education can be completed in 1 year.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Training for nurses.—The full amount of the estimate, \$3,500,000, is approved. The language of the appropriating paragraph has been amended to provide for use of the fund for the purposes of the so-called Bolton bill (H. R. 2664), if and when it is enacted into law. The amount of the appropriation will make only a small beginning on the program authorized by the Bolton bill and the Surgeon General was requested to advise the committee as to probable requirements. After discussing the matter with the Surgeon General the committee has determined to delay consideration of the matter until final plans can be formulated and accurate estimates submitted.

Prevention of epidemics.—The amount of the appropriation, \$300,480, is a reduction of \$10,520 below the Budget estimate and an increase of \$101,700 above current year appropriations. However, the amount of the appropriation is an actual reduction below amounts available for 1943, in the amount of \$14,020. The item, as contained in the 1943 appropriation act did not include funds for the control of typhus fever, for which \$168,000 was allocated from the appropriation for emergency health and sanitation. The Budget for 1944 consolidated this allocation with the appropriation for prevention of epidemics and in so doing effected a reduction in the amount for typhus fever control. In order that there might be no question that adequate funds were provided for the control of this very serious disease, the committee asked the Public Health Service to restudy the matter and advise the committee as to what steps should be taken to insure proper measures of protection against the spread of typhus fever. After reviewing the situation, the Public Health Service recommended to the committee the further reduction of \$10,520, which has been imposed.

Emergency health and sanitation activities.—The amount of the Budget estimate, \$9,729,000, an increase of \$316,500 over current year appropriations, is approved. This item provides for control of diseases and for other measures designed to protect the health of both the civilian population and military personnel in critical defense areas. A supplemental estimate in the amount of \$175,000, for the relocation of physicians in order to provide medical service in communities where there is an inadequate supply of doctors, has been rejected by the committee. The estimate contemplated the relocation of 35 physicians who would be moved at Government expense from their present places of residence to places of more critical need and compensated at the rate of \$250 per month for a period of 3 months, and for the location of 35 commissioned officers of the Public Health Service in other similar areas. The committee is well aware that the shortage of physicians in many sections of the country is acute, but considers any program which would provide for the services of only 70 physicians as so ineffective and inadequate as to be unjustifiable. The committee is willing to give consideration to any type of program which the Public Health Service may suggest to meet the need in a more adequate manner, but does not feel justified in recommending to the House the expenditure of funds to embark on a program which is so patently ineffective.

Maintenance of hospitals.—The amount recommended, \$10,510,700, is an increase of \$138,000 above the Budget estimate and a reduction of \$383,250 in the total appropriations for the current year: The

increase in the Budget estimate is to provide for the cost of the ration in hospitals at present levels. When the estimate was prepared last fall, the ration cost was \$0.53 per day, while it is now in excess of \$0.58 per day. The estimated additional cost on this account is \$138,000, and the committee has included it. The present patient load of these hospitals is growing and it is not now possible to predict what the average will be throughout the entire fiscal year 1944. There is little doubt that the amount carried in the bill will be insufficient to provide the necessary services for these hospitals, which care for members of the Coast Guard and the merchant marine but there is no justification for appropriating an additional amount until experience furnishes a more accurate gauge of the total requirements.

National Institute of Health.—The amount provided, \$2,025,020, is an increase of \$1,264,020 in the Budget estimate and an increase of \$1,281,620 in the appropriation for 1943. The increase above the Budget is accounted for in the transfer of that amount from the appropriation "Disease and sanitation investigations." The work of the National Institute of Health has been financed heretofore with its own appropriation and appropriations for disease and sanitation investigations. After inquiry into the allocation of funds from this latter appropriation, the committee has eliminated it from the bill; transferred \$1,264,020 to the appropriation for the National Institute of Health; transferred \$21,680 to the Division of Mental Hygiene, which Division has had charge of that phase of work paid for from the appropriation for disease and sanitation investigations; and has included a new appropriation in the amount of \$306,800—formerly a part of the appropriation for disease and sanitation investigations—entitled "States Relations Division." This appropriation is the cost of administrative services in connection with grants to States under title 6 of the Social Security Act. In making these adjustments no reduction has been effected in Budget estimates; it is merely for the purpose of appropriating funds in such manner as to accord with the organizational units in the Public Health Service.

ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

The appropriation, \$1,963,000, is the same amount as the Budget estimate and is an increase of \$544,700 in the appropriations for 1943. St. Elizabeths Hospital furnishes treatment for mental patients from all branches of the armed services and other persons who constitute a charge upon the Federal Government, and the increase in funds for 1944 is due to the large increase in the number of persons in the armed services. It should be noted that while there is an increase of approximately 34 percent in funds, the patient load will have increased 42½ percent on July 1, 1944, as compared to July 1, 1943.

SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

Old-age assistance.—The bill provides \$325,000,000 as compared with a Budget estimate of \$338,000,000 for 1944, and an appropriation of \$329,000,000 for 1943. Of the 1943 appropriation, it is anticipated there will be an unexpended balance of at least 10 percent. While there is a slight increase in the average amount paid to each recipient, there is a decline in the number of persons receiving benefits from this appropriation, and it is the judgment of the committee that

the amount carried in the bill will be sufficient. It should be noted, however, that the Federal Government is obligated under the Social Security Act to pay its share of these benefits and if the amount appropriated is less than the amount required a deficiency appropriation will be made and no reduction in benefits will result from reducing the appropriation.

Aid to dependent children.—The amount provided, \$65,000,000 is \$3,000,000 less than the Budget estimate and \$13,000,000 less than the appropriations for 1943. There is a marked reduction in the number of beneficiaries under this program, as well as in the old-age assistance program, and an unexpended balance of \$10,000,000 in the 1943 appropriation is anticipated. Like the old-age assistance program, the Federal Government is obligated under the Social Security Act to meet its share of the requirements of these cases in whatever amount is necessary and no reduction in benefits will be brought about by the reduction in the appropriation.

Unemployment Compensation Administration.—The committee has approved \$30,000,000, a reduction of \$7,328,000 below the Budget estimate. With the present high rate of employment in the country, a marked decline in the number of unemployment compensation cases is being experienced and the reduction imposed should not interfere with the proper administration of the act.

The attention of the committee has been called to the fact that the Social Security Board exercises very close and immediate supervision over the activities of the various State unemployment compensation commissions in selecting their personnel. Under the law, no State is eligible for a Federal grant for administrative expenses unless the employees whose compensation is to be paid from such funds are appointed in accordance with a merit system provided for in a State statute approved by the Social Security Board. It appears that the Board exercises control beyond the purpose of the act in maintaining a degree of day-to-day supervision which is not necessary to good administration, and which serves only to harass and impede the State agencies. The committee has inserted a provision, which appears on page 52, of the bill, to prohibit this type of activity.

Salaries, Social Security Board.—The amount allowed, \$3,250,000, is a reduction of \$50,000 below the Budget, \$3,300,000, and \$227,860 below the appropriation for 1943. The small reduction below the Budget can well be absorbed by the Informational Service and the Office of the Executive Director.

Miscellaneous expenses.—The amount carried in the bill, \$3,000,000, is a reduction of \$147,000 below the Budget estimate and \$53,500 below the appropriation for 1943. At the present rate of expenditure, an unexpended balance of something like \$200,000 will remain in the 1943 appropriation; so the amount provided in the bill should be sufficient for 1944.

Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance Bureau.—The appropriation, \$17,000,000, is \$590,000 below the Budget estimate and \$300,000 below the current year appropriation. However, on account of inability to keep positions filled, the Bureau will absorb a large portion of the cost of the Overtime Pay Act in 1943. The same situation will obtain in 1944 and the appropriation will supply sufficient funds to meet requirements.

COMMUNITY WAR SERVICES

The appropriation, \$1,670,000, is a reduction of \$383,000 below the Budget and \$100,390 below the 1943 appropriation. This office was known as the Office of Defense Health and Welfare until it was transferred by Executive Order No. 9338 to the Federal Security Agency. Of the several divisions in the organization, the most efficient and most useful work is being done by the Social Protection Division, which is cooperating with other Federal, State, and local agencies in the effort to control the spread of venereal disease. The Recreation Section, while it has, no doubt, done a measure of good in its field, is not as necessary as Social Protection. The Health and Medical Committee, a small organization, does not appear to have been worth the cost to date, and offers little hope of being worth its cost in the future. The committee has included no funds for the Health and Medical Committee for 1944, and suggests that any work of this type deemed necessary be undertaken by the Public Health Service within the limits of its present appropriation. It also appeared in the hearings that the Community War Services is paralleling the activity of the Public Health Service in connection with determining need for water supply and sewage-disposal systems to be paid for with Lanham Act funds for defense areas. It is very necessary that the Public Health Service render opinions on these projects, and there is no reason why the Community War Services should also have a voice. The committee has included no funds for this type of activity in 1944. A substantial increase in staffing for regional offices is proposed in the Budget. The Recreation Section and the Social Protection Section, the two largest operating units, each have their own field organizations in addition to the regional offices. The remainder of the reduction below the estimate after the elimination of the Health and Medical Committee, and the activity in connection with the Lanham Act cases, is to be absorbed entirely by the Recreation Section and regional offices.

To avoid establishment of duplicate activities the office of Community War Services will utilize the services of the Personnel Division, Budget Division, Chief Clerk's office, general counsel's office, and other service divisions of the agency for all possible services and allot necessary funds for such purposes to the proper divisions. In order that segregation of funds for defense and regular activities in these divisions may be maintained the Agency will submit the cost of these functions for subsequent years in the estimates for Community War Services and not in the items for the regular functions of the Agency.

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Salaries.—The appropriation, \$146,000, is a reduction of \$3,230 in the Budget estimate and the current year appropriations. The reduction is effected by eliminating two positions, one in grade CAF-2 and one in CAF-12, totaling in excess of \$6,000, which is partially offset by an increase of \$3,000 in the salary of the Administrator so long as the incumbent of the position is also Chairman of the War Manpower Commission. The salaries of the heads of all other war-time emergency agencies have been fixed at \$15,000 per annum, and if the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission held only that

position his salary would be at the rate of \$15,000. As he also is Administrator of the Federal Security Agency, the salary of which is \$12,000, he is limited by law to \$12,000.

General Counsel.—The amount allowed, \$531,380, is a reduction of \$31,620 in the Budget estimate and \$16,620 in the original appropriation for 1943. However, the reduction in 1943 appropriations is the amount of funds transferred to the War Manpower Commission in 1943, so the general counsel will have available in 1944 for comparable activity the same amount as was available in 1943.

TRAVELING EXPENSES

The amount appropriated, \$1,629,000, is a reduction of \$138,500 in the estimate and a reduction of \$132,942 in the current appropriations. After accounting for transfers to other activities the amount of the appropriation is \$100,000 below the appropriation for comparable items for 1943. The Social Security Board has not expended the full amount of its allotment for 1943 and \$80,000 of the reduction can be absorbed by the Board without reducing the amount of travel below 1943 levels. The remaining \$20,000 will be prorated by the Administrator among the various constituent organizations.

TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses, national defense.—The direct appropriation in the bill, \$25,000, is a reduction of \$150,000 below the Budget estimate. However, an unexpended balance of \$150,000 of the 1943 appropriation is reappropriated, so the amount available for 1944 is the same as for 1943. For the past 2 years the Congress has provided the Commission with funds to administer the law making the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Act applicable to military, air, and naval bases outside the continental limits of the United States, but to date no appreciable expenditure of such funds has been made. There never has been and is not now a means of gaging accurately the work load resulting from such activity and it is not possible to say whether all of the amount provided will be required.

Employees' compensation fund.—The number of cases of injury to employees who are covered by the various acts administered by the Commission has been largely increased by increased industrial activity and the present rate of expenditure indicates that the amount of the Budget estimate, \$6,850,000 will be considerably less than the total amount required for 1944, but until such time as it is possible to estimate the total accurately the committee does not feel warranted in increasing the appropriation.

Employees' compensation fund, emergency relief, etc.—For several years the Employees' Compensation Commission has had available several funds to pay benefits to persons entitled thereto under various acts related to the Work Projects Administration, Civilian Conservation Corps, National Youth Administration, etc. In the fiscal year 1943, the balances of these funds plus an additional amount of \$2,500,000 were appropriated. For 1944 the Budget estimate proposed to consolidate the unexpended balances and appropriate \$1,800,000. The unexpended balance in the fund as of July 1, 1943, will be slightly in excess of the expenditures during 1943, and will

remain available for 1944. Officials of the Commission, after rechecking the item, have advised the committee that in their judgment it will not be necessary to provide additional funds, and therefore the direct appropriation of \$1,800,000 has been eliminated.

The Civilian Conservation Corps is currently paying for the hospitalization of 21 former Civilian Conservation Corps enrollees who are entitled to such hospitalization only under authority of the Civilian Conservation Corps Act. With the termination of the Corps no appropriation would be available to pay the cost of their continued treatment and unless some provision is made for them by the Federal Government these young men must be turned out in such physical condition as to be unable to care for themselves and with no resources. One of them is and has for some time been in an iron lung. If he is removed he will live only a matter of hours. The committee took up the matter with the Employees Compensation Commission and was informed that the Commission could absorb the cost of treatment within the appropriations to be provided in this bill if given authority of law to do so. A provision to meet this appealing situation has been included.

TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

The estimates for the National Labor Relations Board were submitted in approximately the same amounts as the appropriations for 1943. However, inasmuch as the work load of the Board has decreased approximately 10 percent and the trend is downward at present, the committee has reduced the various items 10 percent. In view of the reduced work load, these reductions should not interfere with the effective administration of the act.

TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD AND RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

The appropriations for the National Mediation Board and the Railroad Adjustment Board are approved in the amount of the estimate, \$490,000, an increase of \$77,085 above the appropriations for 1943. The committee has inserted a provision in the appropriation for the Railroad Adjustment Board limiting the amount that may be paid during any one year to any person serving as referee to \$2,500. These referees are employed at a rate of \$50 per day and it has come to the attention of the committee that in some few instances certain persons have been employed almost continuously over long periods of time.

TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

The amount provided for salaries, \$1,706,769, is a reduction of \$323,231 in the Budget estimate, and \$671,231 in the appropriation for 1943. After the estimate was submitted and legislation providing for overtime pay for Government employees was enacted, the Board revised its schedules and reported to the committee that it was in a position to absorb the entire amount of overtime cost for both 1943 and 1944 within the limits of its original estimates. All agencies of the Government will be required to submit to the Bureau of the

Budget estimates of the amounts required for overtime, and appropriations for the entire Government service have been made on that basis. The Bureau of the Budget will review each appropriation to determine what amount should be absorbed and what additional appropriation will be required. In order that the Railroad Retirement Board appropriation might be made on the same basis as the remainder of the Government agencies, the committee has eliminated the cost of overtime as computed by the Board and appropriated the amount which the Board states will be required to meet its salary costs as provided in the Classification Act without taking into account the question of overtime pay.

The Board will submit an estimate for overtime pay to the Bureau of the Budget and the committee believes that, in view of the fact the Board has proposed to absorb the whole burden of overtime within its original estimate, the Bureau of the Budget should make a very careful study of the requirements of the Board, with a view to eliminating surplus positions and reducing the salary rolls wherever possible.

TITLE VII—WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

The amount recommended for the War Manpower Commission, including all of its constituent agencies, is \$110,052,300, which sum is \$66,735,877 less than the 1943 total and \$71,777,700 less than the Budget estimates.

OFFICES OF THE COMMISSION

The amount recommended, \$9,994,800, is a reduction of \$2,182,200 below the Budget estimate, \$12,177,000, and an increase of \$562,796 above the appropriation, \$9,432,004, for 1943. The following tabulation, which includes the salary item for each operating unit on a gross annual cost basis, is a comparison between the Budget estimates and the amounts approved by the committee:

	Estimated	Recommended in bill	Decrease (—)
PERSONAL SERVICES (ANNUAL BASIS)			
Office of the chairman and consultants.....	\$130,710	\$130,710	-----
Office of the Executive Director.....	1,062,188	1,062,188	-----
Bureau of Program Requirements.....	678,880	340,000	—\$338,880
Bureau of Placement.....	1,778,442	1,656,022	—122,420
Bureau of Manpower Utilization.....	667,120	600,000	—67,120
Bureau of Training.....	203,760	100,000	—103,760
Field operations.....	5,356,440	4,356,440	—1,000,000
Consultants and temporaries.....	47,560	47,560	-----
Total, personal services.....	9,925,100	8,292,920	—1,632,180
Amount to be absorbed through lapses.....	—725,601	—725,621	—20
Net total, personal services.....	9,199,499	7,567,299	—1,632,200
OTHER OBLIGATIONS			
Travel.....	1,398,214	1,098,214	—300,000
Transportation of things.....	63,000	63,000	-----
Communication services.....	403,984	253,984	—150,000
Rents and utility services.....	521,471	471,471	—50,000
Printing and binding.....	193,400	193,400	-----
Other contractual services.....	66,932	66,932	-----
Supplies and materials.....	237,400	217,400	—20,000
Equipment.....	93,100	63,100	—30,000
Total, other obligations.....	2,977,501	2,427,501	—550,000
Grand total.....	12,177,000	9,994,800	—2,182,200

Salaries; Bureau of Program Requirements.—The Bureau of Program Requirements is engaged in collecting statistics on labor supply and labor needs for the use of the Commission in determining its policies. The type of work carried on is very similar to and in some cases appears to be a duplication of the work of the Bureau of Labor Statistics in the Department of Labor. The Bureau of Labor Statistics, in addition to its regular functions for the Department of Labor, also works for other agencies of the Government, including the National War Labor Board, the Office of Price Administration, the War Production Board, and others, which agencies have found it more economical and satisfactory to utilize the services of a well organized, experienced bureau than to establish new organizations of their own. The War Manpower Commission can secure the necessary data just as satisfactorily and more economically from the Bureau of Labor Statistics than through the operation of its own separate bureau.

The committee has allowed \$340,000, approximately one-half of the amount recommended in the Budget. The committee has provided this amount for securing of necessary statistical data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and has included no funds for the operation of the Bureau of Program Requirements in the Manpower Commission.

It will not be possible, of course, to close the Bureau immediately at the beginning of the fiscal year but it should be closed and its functions transferred to the Bureau of Labor Statistics as rapidly as possible.

Bureau of Placement.—The estimate contemplated the establishment under the Bureau of Placement of a Nursing Supply and Distribution Division, at a cost of \$197,420, to handle all recruitment of nurses for the armed services, and assist in distribution of available nurses best to serve the civilian population, as well as the armed services. This type of activity is now being carried on by the Procurement and Assignment Service, which has jurisdiction over doctors, dentists, veterinarians, and sanitary engineers. It is the judgment of the committee that the Procurement and Assignment Service can take care of the nursing situation as well as the other professional groups referred to and the entire appropriation for the Nursing Supply and Distribution Division is therefore eliminated. The allotment for the Procurement and Assignment Service is increased by \$75,000 on this account, leaving a net reduction of \$122,420.

Salaries, Bureau of Manpower Utilization.—This Bureau is charged with responsibility for assisting industries engaged on war contracts in making the most economical use of available manpower. Much of its work is accomplished through services of leading industrialists who serve the Government without compensation. The Director of the Bureau has expressed some difficulty in securing the type of personnel required for salaried positions and \$600,000, the amount approved by the committee, a reduction of \$67,120 below the Budget, should be sufficient.

Salaries, Bureau of Training.—The Bureau of Training is responsible for developing unified programs and policies to meet training needs of wartime employment. It is purely a policy-making agency and has no action programs to administer as each of the training programs

is administered by a separate organization—N. Y. A., Training Within Industry Service, and Apprentice Training Service—each of which is a complete operating unit, staffed and equipped to render all necessary service in connection with its own activities. Each has its own professional staff to plan the program within the policies laid down by the Bureau of Training, and each has its own field representatives. The Bureau of Training, therefore, requires only a small organization to handle general policy matters largely to insure coordination between the operating agencies and to prevent overlapping. The amount allowed in the bill, \$100,000, will be sufficient for this purpose.

Salaries, field operations.—The Manpower Commission has established 12 regional offices and 125 area offices. The Budget estimate contemplated additional staff in the regional offices and the establishment of 66 additional area offices. The committee has endeavored to ascertain the distribution of functions and responsibilities among the Washington office, the regional and area offices and the local offices of the employment service but finds the picture thoroughly confusing. The establishment of additional field offices, in the judgment of the committee, would serve only to provide further confusion. Rather than to increase the number of offices, the Commission should give attention to more efficient operation of its existing offices and to clarification of its management methods. The amount allowed is a reduction of \$1,000,000 below the Budget estimate and an increase of \$183,020 above current year appropriations. The increase will provide such additional staff as may be necessary in the regional offices, but the committee has disapproved all funds for the establishment of additional offices of any kind in the field service.

Other obligations.—The estimates for the Commission for travel, communications and expenses other than salaries, were based on more or less arbitrary figures, as the Commission has not been in operation a sufficient length of time to have gained experience on which to base accurate estimates. Many of these items appeared to the committee to have been extravagantly estimated and reductions have been made accordingly, as detailed in the foregoing table.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

Estimates for the National Youth Administration.—Defense training, \$55,390,000; salaries and expenses, \$3,314,000; and printing and binding, \$60,000—were rejected by the committee. A paragraph providing for the liquidation of the National Youth Administration is carried in the bill in lieu of the appropriations recommended in the Budget.

APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

Two appropriations for apprentice training service, a regular annual item and a national defense item, are carried in the bill, in a total amount of \$1,015,500, a reduction of \$143,390 under current year appropriations, and a reduction of \$399,500 under the Budget estimates. The training of apprentices requires a longer period of time than other types of training and in the judgment of the committee should be subordinated to types of training which will put workers in the line of production in a shorter period of time.

TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

The amount allowed in the bill, \$1,686,000, is an increase of \$541,000 above current year appropriations, and a reduction of \$405,000 below the Budget estimate. This organization has experienced considerable difficulty in securing proper types of personnel to carry on its training program and has not been able to proceed as rapidly as was contemplated. The amount approved should be adequate.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE SERVICES AND FACILITIES

The amount approved, \$45,500,000, is a reduction of \$10,027,000 below the Budget estimate and a reduction of \$2,369,283 below current year appropriations. There is every reason to believe that before the close of 1944 the number of placements will be materially reduced for two reasons. First, various industries engaged in war production are rapidly reaching peak levels of employment, where no additional personnel will be required. Second, all available workers are so rapidly being absorbed by industry that whatever jobs may be available the Employment Service will not have registrants for them. In addition, the War Manpower Commission has issued certain directives and regulations tending to curtail the shifting of workers from one job to another. Furthermore, much of the recruitment of farm labor is now being handled by the Department of Agriculture under a separate appropriation and the Employment Service is relieved of that burden. The committee believes that the Service should avoid entering the field of placement of teachers as that field is well served by private facilities. In the light of all these circumstances, the committee is convinced that it will not be necessary to maintain the employment offices at the same level as 1943.

LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS

Legislative provisions and limitations not heretofore carried in an appropriation bill are printed here for information of the House:

Page 7, line 20, in connection with appropriations for the Children's Bureau:

Provided, That no part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation which discriminates between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

On page 13, line 6, in connection with appropriation for liquidation of the Civilian Conservation Corps:

Provided further, That for the purposes hercof the provisions of the Act to establish the Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liquidation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such Corps by such Act.

On page 47, line 3, in connection with appropriations for salaries, Office of the Administrator, Federal Security Agency:

Provided, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the rate of \$15,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission.

On page 51, line 22, in connection with appropriations for the Federal Security Agency:

The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and printing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suitable titles and shall be available for the same purposes and subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from which transferred: Provided, That balances of any amounts so transferred, or any part of such balances, shall, upon request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appropriations for traveling expenses and printing and binding, Federal Security Agency.

None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the Social Security Board for grants-in-aid of State agencies to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said agencies of any States which have established by legislative enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Act and have in operation a merit system and classification and compensation plan covering the selection, tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, because of any disapproval of their personnel, or the manner of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the rates of pay of said officers or employees.

On page 55, line 17, in connection with appropriations for the Employees' Compensation Commission:

Provided, That the Commission shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment and burial expenses, including transportation and other expenses incidental to such services, treatment, and burial, to such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hospital services and treatment at Government expense on June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7, 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services, treatment, and expenses.

On page 59, line 1, in connection with appropriations for the Railroad Adjustment Board:

Provided, That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the fiscal year 1944 to any person for services as referee.

On page 77:

Sec. 803. No part of any appropriation for training of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after cessation of hostilities in the present war.

Sec. 804. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be impounded or withheld from obligation or expenditure by any agency or official other than the head of the department or independent establishment to which such appropriation is made.

APPENDIX A.—National defense items

Department and item	Appropriation for 1943	Estimate for 1944	Amount recommended in bill for 1944
Department of Labor:			
Labor Standards, Division of: Safety and health program, national defense.....	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000
Conciliation, commissioners of, national defense.....	1,370,635	1,559,800	1,500,000
Labor Statistics, Bureau of, national defense.....	900,518	1,225,000	1,162,000
Wage and Hour Division, national defense.....	155,000	141,000	
Working conditions.....		1,142,000	
Total, Department of Labor.....	2,576,153	4,217,800	2,812,000
Federal Security Agency:			
Office of Education:			
Vocational education:			
Defense training:			
Vocational education of defense workers, national defense.....	104,000,000	100,000,000	90,000,000
Short college courses, national defense.....	30,000,000	30,000,000	25,000,000
Loans to students, national defense.....	5,000,000		(1)
Salaries and expenses, loans, national defense.....	100,000		
Vocational courses, out-of-school rural youth, national defense.....	15,000,000	11,500,000	12,500,000
Salaries and expenses (national defense).....	1,240,000	1,300,000	1,100,000
Visual aids for war training.....	1,000,000	2,462,000	2,000,000
Total, Office of Education.....	156,340,000	145,262,000	130,600,000
Public Health Service:			
Training for nurses, national defense.....	3,500,000	3,500,000	3,500,000
Salaries and expenses (national defense).....	50,000	50,000	50,000
Emergency health and sanitation activities (national defense).....	9,412,500	9,904,000	9,729,000
Total, Public Health Service.....	12,962,500	13,454,000	13,279,000
Office of Community War Services.....	2,440,000	2,053,000	1,670,000
Total, Federal Security Agency.....	171,742,500	160,769,000	145,549,000
Employees' Compensation Commission: Military bases.....	175,000	175,000	25,000
National Labor Relations Board: Salaries and expenses (national defense).....	692,840	665,000	600,000
Office for Emergency Management:			
War Manpower Commission.....	176,788,177	181,830,000	110,052,300
Grand total.....	349,398,517	343,439,000	256,226,300

¹ Reappropriation of approximately \$2,000,000 unexpended balance.

APPENDIX B.—*Appropriations for uncontrollable grants-in-aid and other mandatory items*

Department and item	Appropriation for 1943	Estimate for 1944	Amount recommended in bill for 1944
Department of Labor:			
Children's Bureau:			
Grants to States:			
Maternal and child health.....	\$5,820,000	\$5,820,000	\$5,820,000
Crippled children.....	3,870,000	3,870,000	3,870,000
Child welfare.....	1,510,000	1,510,000	1,510,000
Total, Department of Labor.....	11,200,000	11,200,000	11,200,000
Federal Security Agency:			
Office of Education:			
Endowment of colleges.....	2,480,000	2,480,000	2,480,000
Vocational rehabilitation: Cooperative program.....	2,800,000	3,200,000	3,200,000
Vocational rehabilitation, Hawaii.....	5,000	5,000	5,000
Vocational rehabilitation, District of Columbia.....	25,000	25,000	25,000
Vocational education:			
Vocational education, further development of.....	13,800,000	14,200,000	14,200,000
Hawaii.....	30,000	30,000	30,000
Puerto Rico.....	105,000	105,000	105,000
Public Health Service: Grants to States for public-health work.....	11,000,000	11,000,000	11,000,000
Social Security Board:			
Grants to States (title I):			
Old-age assistance.....	329,000,000	338,000,000	325,000,000
Dependent children, aid to.....	78,000,000	68,000,000	65,000,000
Blind, aid to.....	8,710,000	9,000,000	9,000,000
Grants to States, unemployment compensation administration (title III).....	79,650,000	37,328,000	30,000,000
Total, Federal Security Agency.....	525,605,000	483,373,000	460,045,000
Employees' Compensation Commission: Compensation funds.....	9,750,000	8,650,000	6,850,000
Railroad Retirement Board: Retirement account.....	214,801,000	262,720,000	262,720,000
Grand total.....	761,356,000	765,943,000	740,815,000

APPENDIX C.—*Special and trust accounts*

	1943	1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-)
Federal Security Agency:			
To promote the education of the blind, interest.....	\$10,000	\$10,000	-----
Civilian Conservation Corps, savings fund.....	850,000	-----	-\$850,000
Civilian Conservation Corps, estates of deceased and mentally incompetent enrolled members.....	8,000	-----	-8,000
Seafood inspections, Food and Drug Administration.....	13,418	13,000	-418
Coal-tar colors certification fees, Food and Drug Adminis- tration.....	200	200	-----
National Institute of Health, conditional gift fund.....	11,300	5,000	-6,300
Personal funds and earnings of inmates, narcotic farms, Public Health Service.....	75,000	65,000	-10,000
Moneys and effects of former patients, Public Health Service.....	3,843	4,000	+157
Pension money, St. Elizabeths Hospital.....	95,000	85,000	-10,000
Personal funds of patients, St. Elizabeths Hospital.....	160,000	170,000	+10,000
Total, Federal Security Agency.....	1,226,761	352,200	-874,561
Employees' Compensation Commission: Relief and rehabili- tation, Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensa- tion Act.....	30,000	30,000	-----
Railroad Retirement Board:			
Railroad retirement account (trust fund).....	240,775,255	248,445,445	+7,670,190
Railroad unemployment insurance administration fund....	10,200,300	11,300,000	+1,099,700
Grand total.....	252,232,316	260,127,645	+7,895,329

APPENDIX D.—*Permanent appropriations*

	1943	1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-)
Federal Security Agency:			
Colleges for agriculture and the mechanic arts.....	\$2,550,000	\$2,550,000	-----
Promotion of vocational education, act Feb. 23, 1917, Office of Education.....	7,000,000	7,000,000	-----
Total, Federal Security Agency.....	9,550,000	9,550,000	-----

APPENDIX E

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT SHOWING THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1943, THE ESTIMATES FOR 1944, THE AMOUNT RECOMMENDED IN THE BILL, AND THE INCREASE OR DECREASE AS COMPARED WITH THE CURRENT APPROPRIATIONS AND THE ESTIMATES

TITLE I. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
Secretary's office:					
Salaries-----	¹ \$386, 125	\$386, 000	\$352, 000	-\$34, 125	-\$34, 000
Solicitor's office-----	841, 532	841, 000	715, 000	-126, 532	-126, 000
Contingent expenses-----	192, 530	182, 000	166, 550	-25, 980	-15, 450
Traveling expenses-----	² 1, 256, 250	1, 232, 000	1, 092, 000	-164, 250	-140, 000
Printing and binding-----	295, 800	284, 000	263, 500	-32, 300	-20, 500
Labor Standards, Division of:					
Salaries and expenses-----	146, 585	146, 000	146, 000	-585	-----
Safety and health program, national defense-----	150, 000	150, 000	150, 000	-----	-----
Working conditions service, national defense-----		³ 1, 142, 000		-----	-1, 142, 000
Cconciliation, commissioners of:					
Regular-----	449, 617	444, 000	444, 000	-5, 617	-----
National defense-----	⁴ 1, 370, 635	⁵ 1, 559, 800	1, 500, 000	+129, 365	-59, 800
Total, Secretary's office-----	5, 089, 074	6, 366, 800	4, 829, 050	-260, 024	-1, 537, 750

Regular-----	1, 099, 803	1, 100, 000	1, 100, 000	+ 197	-----
National defense-----	⁶ 900, 518	⁷ 1, 225, 000	1, 162, 000	+ 261, 482	-63, 000
Total-----	2, 000, 321	2, 325, 000	2, 262, 000	+ 261, 679	-63, 000
Children's Bureau:					
Salaries and expenses (general)-----	331, 310	324, 000	324, 000	7, 310	-----
Salaries and expenses (Fair Labor Standards Act)-----	251, 660	253, 000	200, 000	-51, 660	-53, 000
Salaries and expenses (maternal and child welfare)-----	375, 795	378, 000	350, 000	-25, 795	-28, 000
Grants to States:					
Maternal and child health-----	5, 820, 000	5, 820, 000	5, 820, 000	-----	-----
Crippled children-----	3, 870, 000	3, 870, 000	3, 870, 000	-----	-----
Child welfare-----	1, 510, 000	1, 510, 000	1, 510, 000	-----	-----
Emergency maternity and infant care-----	⁸ 1, 200, 000	⁹ 4, 800, 000	4, 000, 000	+ 2, 800, 000	-800, 000
Total, Children's Bureau-----	13, 358, 765	16, 955, 000	16, 074, 000	+ 2, 715, 235	-881, 000
Women's Bureau-----	158, 720	160, 000	160, 000	+ 1, 280	-----

¹ Includes \$3,800 transferred from "Salaries and expenses, International Labor Organization, Department of Labor."

² Includes \$165,000 appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943.

³ Supplemental estimate for 1944, \$1,142,000 (H. Doc. 160).

⁴ Includes \$395,000 appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943.

⁵ Includes supplemental estimate for 1944, \$584,800 (H. Doc. 160).

⁶ Includes \$63,300 appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943.

⁷ Includes supplemental estimate for 1944, \$363,000 (H. Doc. 160).

⁸ Appropriated in First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943, \$1,200,000.

⁹ Supplemental estimate for 1944, \$4,800,000 (H. Doc. 160).

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE I. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (—) bill compared with Budget estimates
Wage and Hour Division:					
Salaries-----	\$4,711,600	\$4,500,000	\$3,750,000	\$-961,600	-\$750,000
National defense-----	155,000	141,000	-----	-155,000	-141,000
Expenses-----	284,900	280,000	250,000	-34,900	-30,000
Total, Wage and Hour Division-----	5,151,500	4,921,000	4,000,000	-1,151,500	-921,000
Total regular annual appropriations, Department of Labor-----	25,758,380	30,727,800	27,325,050	+1,566,670	-3,402,750

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

American Printing House for the Blind-----	\$115,000	\$115,000	\$115,000	-----	-----
COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF					
Salaries and expenses-----	10 170,500	155,200	155,200	-\$15,300	-----
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION					
Enforcement operations-----	2,323,580	2,323,580	2,200,000	-123,580	-\$123,580
Sea-food inspectors, salaries-----	40,000	40,000	40,000	-----	-----

General administrative expenses-----	94, 400	94, 400	90, 000	- 4, 400	- 4, 400
Total, Food and Drug Administration-----	2, 457, 980	2, 457, 980	2, 330, 000	- 127, 980	- 127, 980
Freedmen's Hospital					
Salaries-----	477, 200	490, 000	490, 000	+ 12, 800	-----
Miscellaneous expenses-----	177, 110	196, 000	196, 000	+ 18, 890	-----
Total, Freedmen's Hospital-----	654, 310	686, 000	686, 000	+ 31, 690	-----
Howard University					
Salaries-----	11 587, 800	598, 000	591, 240	+ 3, 440	- 6, 760
General expenses-----	12 189, 700	156, 000	156, 000	- 33, 700	-----
Total, Howard University-----	777, 500	754, 000	747, 240	- 30, 260	- 6, 760
Office of Education					
General:					
Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the mechanic arts-----	2, 480, 000	2, 480, 000	2, 480, 000	-----	-----
Library service-----	20, 830	20, 800	20, 800	- 30	-----
Salaries-----	300, 000	324, 000	294, 400	- 5, 600	- 29, 600
General expenses-----	12, 000	14, 000	12, 000	-----	- 2, 000
Loans to students, national defense-----	5, 000, 000	-----	(13)	- 5, 000, 000	-----

¹⁰ Includes \$4,500 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

¹¹ Includes \$6,800 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

¹² Includes \$6,700 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

¹³ Reappropriation of approximately \$2,000,000 unexpended balance.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
OFFICE OF EDUCATION—continued					
General—Continued.					
Salaries and expenses, loans, national defense-----	\$100, 000			-\$100, 000	
Total, Office of Education, general	7, 912, 830	\$2, 838, 800	\$2, 807, 200	-5, 105, 630	-\$31, 600
Vocational rehabilitation:					
Cooperative program-----	2, 800, 000	3, 200, 000	3, 200, 000	+ 400, 000	
Vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry in Hawaii-----	5, 000	5, 000	5, 000		
Vocational rehabilitation, District of Columbia-----	25, 000	25, 000	25, 000		
Administrative expenses-----	95, 120	95, 000	95, 000	- 120	
Vocational education:					
Vocational education, further development of-----	13, 800, 000	14, 200, 000	14, 200, 000	+ 400, 000	
Hawaii-----	30, 000	30, 000	30, 000		

Puerto Rico-----	105,000	105,000	105,000	-----	-----
Salaries and expenses-----	366,140	368,000	362,680	-3,460	-5,320
Defense training:					
Vocational education of defense workers, national defense-----	14 104,000,000	100,000,000	90,000,000	-14,000,000	-10,000,000
Short college courses, national defense-----	30,000,000	30,000,000	25,000,000	-5,000,000	-5,000,000
Vocational courses, out-of-school, rural youth, national defense-----	15,000,000	11,500,000	12,500,000	-2,500,000	+1,000,000
Salaries and expenses, national defense-----	1,240,000	1,300,000	1,100,000	-140,000	-200,000
Visual aids for war training, national defense-----	1,000,000	2,462,000	2,000,000	+1,000,000	-462,000
Total, vocational education and rehabilitation-----	168,466,260	163,290,000	148,622,680	-19,843,580	-14,667,320
Total, Office of Education, including vocational education and rehabilitation-----	176,379,090	166,128,800	151,429,880	-24,949,210	-14,698,920
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE					
Venereal Disease Division-----	12,500,000	15 12,367,000	12,367,000	-133,000	-----
Grants to States for public health work-----	11,000,000	11,000,000	11,000,000	-----	-----
Training for nurses, national defense-----	3,500,000	3,500,000	3,500,000	-----	-----

¹⁴ \$10,000,000 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.

¹⁵ Excludes amounts transferred to the following appropriations: "Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Public Health Service," \$3,000; and "Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency," \$130,000.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER					
Salaries and expenses, national defense-----	\$50, 000	\$50, 000	\$50, 000	-----	-----
Interstate quarantine service-----	26, 300	28, 000	28, 000	+\$1, 700	-----
Prevention of epidemics-----	198, 780	¹⁸ 311, 000	300, 480	+101, 700	-\$10, 520
Emergency health and sanitation activities, national defense-----	¹⁷ 9, 412, 500	¹⁸ 9, 904, 000	9, 729, 000	+316, 500	-175, 000
Hospital, pay of personnel and maintenance of-----	¹⁹ 10, 893, 950	²⁰ 10, 372, 700	10, 510, 700	-383, 250	+138, 000
Division of Mental Hygiene and maintenance of narcotic farm-----	1, 250, 800	1, 088, 000	1, 109, 680	-141, 120	+21, 680
Foreign quarantine service-----	1, 224, 250	1, 250, 000	1, 250, 000	+25, 750	-----
Disease and sanitation investigations-----	²¹ 1, 505, 180	²² 1, 592, 500	-----	-1, 505, 180	-1, 592, 500
National Institute of Health-----	743, 400	761, 000	2, 025, 020	+1, 281, 620	+1, 264, 020
States Relations Division-----	-----	-----	306, 800	+306, 800	+306, 800
National Cancer Institute-----	534, 870	530, 000	530, 000	-4, 870	-----
Commissioned personnel, pay and allowances-----	²³ 2, 497, 599	²⁴ 2, 822, 000	2, 822, 000	+324, 401	-----

Surgeon General's office, salaries-----	423, 350	²⁵ 450, 000	450, 000	+ 26, 650	-----
Miscellaneous and contingent expenses-----	154, 275	²⁶ 195, 000	195, 000	+ 40, 725	-----
Total, Public Health Service-----	55, 915, 254	56, 221, 200	56, 173, 680	+ 258, 426	-47, 520
ST. ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL					
Salaries and expenses-----	1, 418, 300	1, 963, 000	1, 963, 000	+ 544, 700	-----
SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD					
Grants to States (title I):					
Old-age assistance-----	329, 000, 000	338, 000, 000	325, 000, 000	-4, 000, 000	-13, 000, 000
Dependent children, aid to-----	78, 000, 000	68, 000, 000	65, 000, 000	-13, 000, 000	-3, 000, 000
Blind, aid to-----	8, 710, 000	9, 000, 000	9, 000, 000	+ 290, 000	-----
Bureau of Public Assistance, salaries-----	993, 560	923, 000	900, 000	-93, 560	-23, 000
¹⁶ Includes \$168,000 transferred from "Emergency health and sanitation activities, Public Health Service (national defense)."					
¹⁷ \$428,500 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.					
¹⁸ Excludes transfers to the following appropriations: "Preventing the spread of epidemic diseases, Public Health Service," \$168,000; and "Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency," \$63,000. Supplemental estimate, \$175,000 included in H. Doc. 191.					
¹⁹ \$2,900,000 in Urgent Deficiency Act, 1943.					
²⁰ Excludes \$1,260 transferred to "Salaries, Office of Surgeon General, Public Health Service." Supplemental estimate, \$88,700 included in H. Doc. 200.					
²¹ \$85,500 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.					
²² Excludes \$9,000 transferred to "Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Public Health Service." Supplemental estimate, \$60,500 included in H. Doc. 177.					
²³ \$135,000 in First Deficiency Act, 1943.					
²⁴ Supplemental estimate, \$219,000, included in H. Doc. 200.					
²⁵ Includes \$1,260 transferred from "Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals, Public Health Service."					
²⁶ Includes transfers from the following appropriations: "Disease and sanitation investigations, Public Health Service," \$9,000; and "Expenses, Division of Venereal Diseases, Public Health Service," \$3,000. Supplemental estimate, \$40,000, included in H. Doc. 191.					

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE II. FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY—Continued

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD—continued					
Grants to States, unemployment compensation administration (title III)-----	\$79,650,000	²⁷ \$37,328,000	\$30,000,000	-\$49,650,000	-\$7,328,000
Bureau of Employment Security, salaries-----	1,816,740	²⁸ 750,000	750,000	-1,066,740	-----
Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance, salaries (title II)-----	17,300,000	17,590,000	17,000,000	-300,000	-590,000
Offices of the Board, salaries-----	3,477,860	²⁹ 3,300,000	3,250,000	-227,860	-50,000
Miscellaneous expenses-----	3,053,500	³⁰ 3,147,000	3,000,000	-53,500	-147,000
Total, Social Security Board-----	522,001,660	478,038,000	453,900,000	-68,101,660	-24,138,000
OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR					
Office of Administrator, salaries-----	149,230	149,230	146,000	-3,230	-3,230
Office of Community War Services-----	1,770,390	³¹ 2,053,000	1,670,000	-100,390	-383,000
Division of Personnel Supervision and Management, salaries-----	122,570	120,000	120,000	-2,570	-----
Chief Clerk's Division, salaries-----	276,650	³² 283,000	280,000	+3,350	-3,000
Office of General Counsel, salaries-----	548,000	³³ 563,000	531,380	-16,620	-31,620

Miscellaneous expenses-----	80,000	34 87,000	75,000	-5,000	-12,000
Traveling expenses-----	1,752,942	1,758,500	1,620,000	-132,942	-138,500
Printing and binding-----	1,000,000	35 953,400	900,000	-100,000	-53,400
Total, Office of the Administrator----	5,699,782	5,967,130	5,342,380	-357,402	-624,750
Total, Federal Security Agency, regular annual appropriations-----	765,589,376	712,486,310	672,842,380	-92,746,996	-39,643,930

²⁷ Excludes \$39,903,173 transferred to "Grants to States, employment services, War Manpower Commission." Estimate reduced \$1,672,000 in H. Doc. 195.

²⁸ Excludes \$1,070,000 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

²⁹ Excludes \$107,315 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

³⁰ Excludes \$28,317 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

³¹ Estimate included in H. Doc. 168.

³² Excludes \$6,660 transferred to "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission."

³³ Excludes amounts transferred to the following appropriations: "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission," \$12,820; and "Salaries and expenses, National Youth Administration, War Manpower Commission," \$3,800.

³⁴ Excludes amounts transferred to the following appropriations: "Salaries and expenses, apprentice training program, War Manpower Commission," \$54,000; and "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission," \$84,200; and includes transfers from the following appropriations: "Expenses, Division of Venereal Diseases, Public Health Service," \$130,000; and "Emergency health and sanitation activities, Public Health Service (national defense)," \$63,000. Supplemental estimate, \$38,500, included in H. Doc. 177.

³⁵ Excludes transfers to the following appropriations: "Salaries and expenses, apprentice training program, War Manpower Commission," \$4,200; and "Salaries and expenses, employment services, War Manpower Commission," \$42,400.

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE III. EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION					
Salaries and expenses-----	\$728, 305	\$837, 000	\$837, 000	+\$108, 795	-----
Military bases (national defense)-----	36 175, 000	175, 000	25, 000	-150, 000	-\$150, 000
Printing and binding-----	11, 500	17, 000	17, 000	+5, 500	-----
Employees' compensation fund-----	37 7, 250, 000	6, 850, 000	6, 850, 000	-400, 000	-----
Employees' compensation fund (emergency)	2, 500, 000	1, 800, 000	-----	-2, 500, 000	-1, 800, 000
Total, Employees' Compensation Commission-----	10, 664, 705	9, 679, 000	7, 729, 000	-2, 935, 705	-1, 950, 000

TITLE IV. NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD					
Salaries-----	\$2, 128, 130	\$2, 128, 000	\$1, 915, 000	-\$213, 130	-\$213, 000
Miscellaneous expenses-----	545, 000	531, 000	478, 000	-67, 000	-53, 000
Printing and binding-----	234, 500	220, 000	220, 000	-14, 500	-----
Salaries and expenses (national defense)-----	692, 840	665, 000	600, 000	-92, 840	-65, 000
Total, National Labor Relations Board-----	3, 600, 470	3, 544, 000	3, 213, 000	-387, 470	-331, 000

Comparative statement showing the appropriations for 1943, the estimates for 1944, the amount recommended in the bill, and the increase or decrease as compared with the current appropriations and the estimates—Continued

TITLE VII. WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION ⁴⁰

Object	Appropriations 1943	Estimates 1944	Recommended in bill for 1944	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with 1943 appropriations	Increase (+) or decrease (-) bill compared with Budget estimates
General administration-----	⁴¹ \$9, 432, 004	\$12, 177, 000	\$9, 994, 800	+ \$562, 796	— \$2, 182, 200
Apprentice Training Service-----	⁴² 526, 890	582, 000	465, 500	— 61, 390	— 116, 500
Apprentice Training Service (national defense)-----	⁴³ 636, 000	833, 000	550, 000	— 86, 000	— 283, 000
Employment office facilities and services-----	⁴⁴ 47, 869, 283	55, 527, 000	45, 500, 000	— 2, 369, 283	— 10, 027, 000
National Youth Administration:					
Youth work-----	⁴⁵ 49, 729, 000	55, 390, 000	(⁴⁶)	— 49, 729, 000	— 55, 390, 000
Student aid-----	8, 000, 000			— 8, 000, 000	
Salaries and expenses-----	⁴⁷ 3, 500, 000	3, 314, 000		— 3, 500, 000	— 3, 314, 000
Printing and binding-----	45, 000	60, 000		— 45, 000	— 60, 000
Selective Service System-----	⁴⁸ 55, 905, 000	51, 856, 000	51, 856, 000	— 4, 049, 000	
Training Within Industry Service-----	1, 145, 000	2, 091, 000	1, 686, 000	+ 541, 000	— 405, 000
Total-----	176, 788, 177	181, 830, 000	110, 052, 300	— 66, 735, 877	— 71, 777, 700
Grand total of the bill, regular annual appropriations-----	1, 200, 656, 023	1, 204, 031, 110	1, 086, 562, 499	— 114, 093, 524	— 117, 468, 611

⁴⁰ Estimates included in H. Doc. 173.

⁴¹ Includes \$1,361,712 transferred from Federal Security Agency and Social Security Board, \$30,000 reimbursement for services performed for Federal Housing Administration and excludes \$7,966,110 transferred to Employment Office facilities and services.

⁴² Includes \$61,389 transferred from Federal Security Agency.

⁴³ Includes \$186,000 appropriated in Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943.

⁴⁴ Includes \$39,903,173 transferred from grants to States, Unemployment Compensation Administration, Social Security Board and \$7,966,110 transferred from Salaries and Expenses, War Manpower Commission.

⁴⁵ Includes \$115,000 transferred to U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission and \$260,000 reimbursements for services performed, \$86,000 for the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission is included in the 1944 estimate.

⁴⁶ Reappropriation of \$3,000,000 for liquidation.

⁴⁷ Includes \$347,679 transferred to Treasury Department, \$68,715 for this purpose is included in the 1944 estimate.

⁴⁸ Includes \$21,160,000 appropriated in urgent deficiency joint resolution, 1943.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 14, 1943

Mr. HARE, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following bill; which was committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed

A BILL

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money
4 in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Depart-
5 ment of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
6 independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30,
7 1944, namely:

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia, \$352,000.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and for other necessary expenses in the field, including contract stenographic reporting services, \$715,000.

Contingent expenses: For expenses of the offices and bureaus of the Department, for which appropriations for expenses are not specifically made, including the purchase of stationery, furniture, and repairs to the same, carpets, matting, oilcloths, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap, sponges, laundry, not exceeding \$1,000 for streetcar fares; purchase, maintenance, and repair of motorcycles and motortrucks; maintenance, operation, and repair of four motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; freight and express charges; commercial and labor-reporting services; postage to foreign countries, telegraph and telephone service; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, books of reference, newspapers, and periodicals and, when authorized by the Secretary of Labor, dues for library membership in societies or associations which issue publications to members only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members, not exceeding \$6,000; contract steno-

1 graphic services; and teletype service and tolls (not to
2 exceed \$1,100), \$166,550.

3 Traveling expenses: For traveling expenses under the
4 Department of Labor, including reimbursement to employees
5 of the Wage and Hour Division, at not to exceed 3 cents
6 per mile, for expenses of travel performed by them in pri-
7 vately owned automobiles within the limits of their official
8 stations in the field, \$1,092,000.

9 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
10 Department of Labor, \$263,500.

11 Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For
12 salaries and other expenses, including purchase and distribu-
13 tion of reports, and of material for informational exhibits,
14 in connection with the promotion of health, safety, employ-
15 ment stabilization, and amicable industrial relations for labor
16 and industry, \$146,000.

17 Salaries and expenses, Safety and Health Program (na-
18 tional defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the
19 Secretary of Labor to conduct a program of safety and health
20 among employees engaged in national-defense industries, in-
21 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia and
22 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to
23 the appropriations under the Department of Labor for con-
24 tingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
25 binding, \$150,000.

The appropriation under this title for traveling expenses shall be available for expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the work of the Division of Labor Standards when called by the Division of Labor Standards with the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the Division of Labor Standards when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

Commissioners of conciliation: For expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to exercise the authority vested in him by section 8 of the Act creating the Department of Labor (5 U. S. C. 611), including newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals; and not to exceed \$68,827 for personal services in the District of Columbia, \$444,000.

Commissioners of Conciliation (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to perform conciliation services in situations growing out of employment in industries under the national defense program, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and binding, \$1,500,000.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses

1 shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for
2 expenses of attendance at meetings, conferences, or conven-
3 tions concerned with labor and industrial relations when
4 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

6 Salaries and expenses: For personal services including
7 temporary statistical clerks, stenographers, and typists in
8 the District of Columbia, and including also experts and
9 temporary assistants for field service outside of the District
10 of Columbia; purchase of periodicals, documents, envelopes,
11 price quotations, and reports and materials for reports and
12 bulletins of said Bureau, \$1,100,000, of which amount not
13 to exceed \$970,000 may be expended for the salary of the
14 Commissioner and other personal services in the District of
15 Columbia.

16 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
17 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000, for
18 expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work
19 of the Bureau of Labor Statistics when incurred on the
20 written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

21 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
22 penses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor, through
23 the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation to the national
24 security and defense, to perform the functions authorized by
25 the Act of June 13, 1888, and other Acts (29 U. S. C. 1);

1 to continue occupational outlook surveys throughout the
2 United States; and to conduct studies relative to problems
3 connected with labor likely to arise upon the termination
4 of the existing emergent conditions in connection with de-
5 fense activities throughout the United States, in cooperation
6 with the National Resources Planning Board; such expenses
7 to include personal services in the District of Columbia and
8 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable
9 to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for
10 contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
11 binding, and not to exceed \$15,000 for the temporary em-
12 ployment of experts without regard to the civil service and
13 classification laws, \$1,162,000.

14 CHILDREN'S BUREAU

15 Salaries and expenses: For expenses of investigating and
16 reporting upon matters pertaining to the welfare of children
17 and child life, and especially to investigate the questions of
18 infant mortality; personal services, including experts and
19 temporary assistants; purchase of reports and material for
20 the publications of the Children's Bureau and for reprints
21 from State, city, and private publications for distribution
22 when said reprints can be procured more cheaply than they
23 can be printed by the Government, and other necessary
24 expenses, \$324,000, of which amount not to exceed \$289,600

1 may be expended for personal services in the District of
2 Columbia.

3 Salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair
4 Labor Standards Act: For all authorized and necessary
5 expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties
6 imposed upon it by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938,
7 including personal services in the District of Columbia and
8 elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books
9 of reference, and periodicals; and reimbursement to State
10 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
11 as authorized by section 11 of said Act, \$200,000.

12 MATERNAL AND CHILD WELFARE

13 Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare:
14 For all authorized and necessary administrative expenses of
15 the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed
16 upon it by title V of the Social Security Act, approved
17 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal services,
18 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services;
19 equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals,
20 \$350,000: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriation
21 contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry
22 out any instruction, order, or regulation which discriminates
23 between persons licensed under State law to practice
24 obstetrics.

1 Grants to States for maternal and child health services:

2 For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State
3 to extend and improve services for promoting the health of
4 mothers and children, as authorized in title V, part 1, of
5 the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42
6 U. S. C. 701), as amended, \$5,820,000: *Provided*, That
7 any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) shall
8 not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections
9 (a) and (b) of section 504 an amount expended or
10 estimated to be expended by the State.

11 Grants to States for services for crippled children: For
12 the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve
13 services for crippled children, as authorized in title V, part
14 2, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935
15 (42 U. S. C. 711), as amended, \$3,870,000.

16 Grants to States for child-welfare services: For grants
17 to States for the purpose of enabling the United States,
18 through the Children's Bureau, to cooperate with State
19 public-welfare agencies in establishing, extending, and
20 strengthening public-welfare services for the care of home-
21 less or neglected children, or children in danger of becoming
22 delinquent, as authorized in title V, part 3, of the Social
23 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 721),
24 as amended, \$1,510,000.

25 Grants to States for emergency maternity and infant

1 care (national defense) : For grants to States, including
2 Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia,
3 to provide, in addition to similar services otherwise avail-
4 able, medical, nursing, and hospital maternity and infant
5 care for wives and infants of enlisted men in the armed
6 forces of the United States, under allotments by the Secre-
7 tary of Labor and plans developed and administered by
8 State health agencies and approved by the Chief of the
9 Children's Bureau, \$4,000,000.

10 In the administration of title V of the Social Security
11 Act, as amended, for the fiscal year 1944, payments
12 to the States for any quarter of the fiscal year 1944
13 under parts 1, 2, and 3 may be made with respect to any
14 State plan approved under such respective parts by the Chief
15 of the Children's Bureau prior to or during such quarter, but
16 no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
17 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan is sub-
18 mitted to the Chief of the Children's Bureau for approval.

19 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
20 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$11,000, for
21 expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants
22 at conferences concerned with the administration of work of
23 the Children's Bureau under the Fair Labor Standards Act
24 and under title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security

1 Act, as amended, when called by the Children's Bureau with
2 the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be
3 available also, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000, for ex-
4 penses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the
5 Children's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
6 of the Secretary of Labor.

7 WOMEN'S BUREAU

8 Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions
9 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish in the Department
10 of Labor a bureau to be known as the Women's Bureau",
11 approved June 5, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 11-16), including
12 personal services in the District of Columbia; purchase of
13 material for reports and educational exhibits, \$160,000.

14 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
15 be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,500 for expenses
16 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
17 Women's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
18 of the Secretary of Labor.

19 WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

20 Salaries: For personal services for the Wage and Hour
21 Division necessary in performing the duties imposed by the
22 Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
23 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
24 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
25 (41 U. S. C. 38), including reimbursement to State, Fed-

1 eral, and local agencies and their employees for services
2 rendered, \$3,750,000, of which amount not to exceed
3 \$675,000 (exclusive of pay of members of industry com-
4 mittees) may be expended for departmental salaries.

5 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For
6 necessary expenses, other than salaries, of the Wage and
7 Hour Division in performing the duties imposed by the Fair
8 Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
9 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
10 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
11 (41 U. S. C. 38), including stenographic reporting services
12 by contract or otherwise, purchase of one and maintenance,
13 repair, and operation outside the District of Columbia, of
14 three motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, lawbooks,
15 books of reference, periodicals, manuscripts and special re-
16 ports, newspapers, and reimbursement to State, Federal,
17 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
18 \$250,000.

19 The Secretary of Labor may allot or transfer, with
20 the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget,
21 funds from the foregoing appropriations for the Wage
22 and Hour Division to any other bureau or office of the
23 Department of Labor to enable such bureau or office to
24 perform services for the Wage and Hour Division.

25 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall

1 be available in an amount not to exceed \$4,750 for expenses
2 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
3 Wage and Hour Division when incurred on the written
4 authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 This title may be cited as the Department of Labor
6 Appropriation Act, 1944.

7 TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

8 AMERICAN PRINTING HOUSE FOR THE BLIND

9 To enable the American Printing House for the Blind
10 more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the
11 education of the blind in accordance with the provisions of
12 the Act approved February 8, 1927 (20 U. S. C. 101),
13 \$115,000.

14 CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

15 For all necessary expenses to enable the Federal Se-
16 curity Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the
17 Civilian Conservation Corps and the conservation and dis-
18 position of all of the property of whatever type (including
19 camp buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of
20 all types) in use by said Corps, including personal services
21 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for
22 accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Gov-
23 ernment service due to the discontinuance of Corps operations;
24 and for such travel and other necessary expenses as may be
25 incurred in connection with liquidation of said Civilian Con-

1 servation Corps from the unexpended balances of the appro-
2 priations made to the Civilian Conservation Corps in the
3 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1942, not
4 exceeding \$20,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall
5 be completed as quickly as possible but in any event not
6 later than June 30, 1944: *Provided further*, That for the
7 purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the
8 Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved
9 June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and
10 effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liqui-
11 dation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator
12 shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such
13 Corps by such Act.

14 Notwithstanding the provisions of the Act of December
15 23, 1941 (Public Law 371), the Federal Security Admin-
16 istrator is authorized, during the fiscal year 1944, to dispose
17 of any camp buildings, no longer needed for Civilian Con-
18 servation Corps purposes, and housekeeping and camp main-
19 tenance equipment necessary in connection therewith, by
20 transfer with or without reimbursement, to other Federal
21 agencies or, upon such terms as he may prescribe to any
22 State, county, municipality, or nonprofit organization for the
23 promotion of conservation, education, recreation, or health:
24 *Provided*, That, in the case of buildings located on land owned
25 by the United States, any such disposition shall be subject

1 to the approval of the agency of the United States having
 2 jurisdiction of such lands: *And provided further*, That such
 3 buildings and equipment shall first be tendered to the War
 4 Department and Navy Department for use in prosecution of
 5 the war, or the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which
 6 Departments or agency shall have sixty days from the date
 7 of notification of availability of such buildings and equipment
 8 to accept such tender.

9 COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

10 For support of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf,
 11 including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illus-
 12 trative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements,
 13 \$155,200.

14 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

15 For all necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
 16 ministration in carrying out the investigations, including col-
 17 lecting, reporting, and illustrating the results thereof, and
 18 performing the functions required to carry into effect the
 19 provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
 20 (21 U. S. C. 301-392) ; the Act approved March 2, 1897,
 21 entitled "An Act to prevent the importation of impure and
 22 unwholesome tea" (21 U. S. C. 41-50) , which may here-
 23 after be cited as the Tea Importation Act; the Act approved
 24 February 15, 1927, to regulate the importation of milk and
 25 cream into the United States, and so forth (21 U. S. C.

1 141-149), which may hereafter be cited as the Import Milk
2 Act; the Federal Caustic Poison Act (15 U. S. C. 401-
3 411); and the Act approved May 4, 1923, entitled "An Act
4 to prohibit the shipment of filled milk in interstate or foreign
5 commerce" (21 U. S. C. 61-64), which may hereafter be
6 cited as the Filled Milk Act; as follows:

7 Enforcement operations: To enable the Federal Security
8 Administrator to carry into effect the provisions of the above
9 statutes, including personal services in the District of Colum-
10 bia (not exceeding \$673,000) and elsewhere; purchase (not
11 to exceed ten), operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-
12 propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles; pur-
13 chase of chemicals, apparatus, and scientific equipment; con-
14 tract stenographic reporting services; books of reference and
15 periodicals, \$2,200,000; and the Administrator, in carrying
16 into effect the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and
17 Cosmetic Act, is authorized hereafter to cooperate with as-
18 sociations and scientific societies in the revision of the United
19 States Pharmacopoeia and in the development of methods of
20 analysis and mechanical and physical tests necessary to carry
21 out the work of the Food and Drug Administration and to
22 pay the compensation and expenses of the members of the
23 Board appointed under section 2 of the Tea Importation Act,
24 and such compensation and expenses shall not be paid out

1 of the appropriation for "Expenses of collecting the revenue
2 from customs".

3 Salaries, sea-food inspectors: For salaries of sea-food
4 inspectors designated in accordance with the provisions of
5 section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act, as
6 amended by the Act of August 27, 1935 (21 U. S. C.
7 372a), which may hereafter be cited as section 702A of the
8 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, \$40,000.

9 General administration: For general administration, in-
10 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia,
11 \$90,000.

12 FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

13 For officers and employees and compensation for all
14 other professional and other services that may be required
15 and expressly approved by the Federal Security Administra-
16 tor, \$490,000.

17 Miscellaneous expenses: For subsistence; fuel and light,
18 not exceeding \$500 for expenses of attendance upon meet-
19 ings of a technical nature, pertaining to hospital adminis-
20 tration and medical advancement, when authorized by the
21 Federal Security Administrator; clothing to include white
22 cotton or duck suits for the use of internes, and cotton or
23 duck uniforms or aprons for cooks, maids, and attendants, and
24 laundering thereof; rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage,
25 medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments,

1 electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, and
2 furniture; maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying
3 vehicles; not exceeding \$250 for the purchase of books,
4 periodicals, and newspapers; not to exceed \$2,000 for the
5 special instruction of student nurses; reimbursement to the
6 appropriations of Howard University of actual cost of heat
7 and light furnished, and other necessary expenses \$196,000:
8 *Provided*, That there shall be transferred from this appro-
9 priation to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, public
10 buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, Public
11 Buildings Administration" for direct expenditure by the
12 Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations,
13 improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds
14 of Freedmen's Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred
15 from this appropriation to the appropriation "Traveling
16 expenses, Federal Security Agency", and that \$2,500 shall
17 be transferred to the appropriation "Miscellaneous and
18 contingent expenses, Public Health Service": *Provided*
19 *further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing
20 appropriations for the Freedmen's Hospital shall be charge-
21 able to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner
22 as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are
23 paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time
24 to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so

1 that the portion of each of these appropriations charged
 2 to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to
 3 the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital
 4 days of service to persons who have resided in the District
 5 of Columbia for over one year on the day of admission bears
 6 to the total number of hospital days of service performed.

7 HOWARD UNIVERSITY

8 Salaries: For payment in full or in part of the salaries
 9 of the officers, professors, teachers, and other regular em-
 10 ployees of the university, the balance to be paid from
 11 privately contributed funds, \$591,240.

12 Expenses, Howard University: For equipment, sup-
 13 plies, apparatus, furniture, cases and shelving, stationery,
 14 ice, repairs to buildings and grounds, and for other necessary
 15 expenses of the university, \$156,000.

16 OFFICE OF EDUCATION

17 Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the
 18 mechanic arts: For carrying out the provisions of section 22
 19 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into
 20 basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to pro-
 21 vide for the further development of cooperative agricultural
 22 extension work and the more complete endowment and
 23 support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935
 24 (49 Stat. 436), \$2,480,000.

25 Library service: For making surveys, studies, investiga-

1 tions, and reports regarding public, school, college, univer-
2 sity, and other libraries; fostering coordination of public and
3 school library service; coordinating library service on the
4 national level with other forms of adult education; developing
5 library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nation-
6 wide coordination of research materials among the more
7 scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the
8 development of public, school, and other library service
9 throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses
10 incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such
11 assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the Dis-
12 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, as the Commissioner of
13 Education may deem necessary, purchase of miscellaneous
14 supplies, equipment, stationery, postage on foreign mail,
15 books of reference, lawbooks, and periodicals, and all other
16 necessary expenses, \$20,800.

17 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
18 bia, \$294,400.

19 General expenses: For general expenses of the Office of
20 Education, including lawbooks, books of reference, and
21 periodicals; purchase, distribution, and exchange of educa-
22 tional documents, motion-picture films, and lantern slides;
23 collection, exchange, and cataloging of educational apparatus
24 and appliances, articles of school furniture and models of

1 school buildings illustrative of foreign and domestic systems
2 and methods of education, and repairing the same, \$12,000.

3 The unexpended balance of the appropriation for loans
4 to students in technical and professional fields, 1943, is
5 hereby reappropriated and made available for the same pur-
6 poses and under the same conditions as provided in the
7 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act 1943, except
8 that such loans shall be made only to those students whose
9 technical or professional education can be completed in one
10 year, and of the sum reappropriated not to exceed \$54,000
11 shall be available for administrative expenses, including
12 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
13 purchase and exchange of equipment; printing and bind-
14 ing; travel expenses, including not to exceed \$1,200 for
15 actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per
16 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
17 serving while away from their homes, without other com-
18 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity
19 to the Commissioner of Education.

20 Vocational Rehabilitation

21 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled
22 in industry: For carrying out the provisions of the Act
23 entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational
24 rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise
25 and their return to civil employment", approved June 2,

1 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), as amended by the Act of June 5,
2 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31) and the Acts of June 9, 1930, and
3 June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31-40), section 531 (a)
4 of the Act of August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620) and section
5 508 (a) of the Act approved August 10, 1939 (53 Stat.
6 1381), \$3,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to
7 the States shall be computed in accordance with the Acts
8 approved June 2, 1920, June 5, 1924, June 9, 1930, June
9 30, 1932, August 14, 1935, and August 10, 1939, on the
10 basis of not to exceed \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year 1944.

11 Promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons dis-
12 abled in industry in Hawaii: For extending to the Territory
13 of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to pro-
14 vide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons
15 disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended
16 (29 U. S. C. 31-44), in accordance with the provisions of
17 the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain
18 laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924
19 (29 U. S. C. 45), \$5,000.

20 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
21 shall be available for actual transportation and not to exceed
22 \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of
23 persons serving, while away from their homes with-
24 out other compensation from the United States, in an

1 advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education, in an
2 amount not exceeding \$10,000.

3 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of disabled resi-
4 dents of the District of Columbia: For personal services,
5 printing and binding, travel and subsistence, and payment of
6 expenses of training, placement, and other phases of re-
7 habilitating disabled residents of the District of Columbia
8 under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide
9 for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the
10 District of Columbia", approved February 23, 1929 (45
11 Stat. 1260), as amended by the Act approved April 17,
12 1937 (50 Stat. 69), \$25,000.

13 Salaries and expenses, vocational rehabilitation: For
14 carrying out the provisions of section 6 of the Act entitled
15 "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabili-
16 tation of persons disabled in industry, and so forth", ap-
17 proved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), and the Acts of
18 June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), June 9, 1930, and June
19 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31, 40), August 14, 1935 (49 Stat.
20 620), and August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), and for carry-
21 ing out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to
22 authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by
23 blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the
24 blind, and for other purposes", approved June 20, 1936 (49
25 Stat. 1559, 1560), \$95,000.

Vocational Education

Further development of vocational education: For carrying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488-1490), \$14,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be computed on the basis of not to exceed \$14,483,000 for the fiscal year 1944, as authorized by the Act approved June 8, 1936.

For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924 (20 U. S. C. 29), \$30,000.

For extending to Puerto Rico the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to Puerto Rico", approved March 3, 1931 (20 U. S. C. 11-18; 29 U. S. C. 31-35; 20 U. S. C. 30), \$105,000.

Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions

1 of section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the
2 promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved
3 February 23, 1917, as amended by the Act of October 6,
4 1917 (20 U. S. C. 15), and of section 4 of the Act entitled
5 "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational
6 education in the several States and Territories", approved
7 June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488), \$362,680.

8 Education and Training, Defense Workers (National
9 Defense)

10 Payments to States, and so forth (national defense) :
11 For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public
12 agencies operating public educational facilities, and, where
13 hereinafter authorized, to vocational schools exempt from
14 taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue
15 Code, colleges and universities, for the furtherance of the
16 education and training of defense workers, through certifica-
17 tion from time to time, in accordance with regulations pro-
18 mulgated by the United States Commissioner of Education
19 (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") under the
20 supervision and direction of the Federal Security Adminis-
21 trator and approved by the President, by the Commissioner to
22 the Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or
23 the name of such school, college, or university to whom
24 payment is to be made. and the amount to be paid, such

1 payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the
2 General Accounting Office as follows:

3 (1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than col-
4 lege grade provided by such agencies in vocational schools,
5 including vocational schools exempt from taxation under
6 section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by such
7 vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by them and
8 approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include
9 only courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War
10 Manpower Commission as supplementary to employment in
11 occupations essential to the national defense, and types of
12 preemployment and refresher courses similarly approved for
13 workers preparing for such occupations and selected from the
14 public employment office registers, and for the cost of voca-
15 tional courses of types similarly approved of less than college
16 grade in private vocational schools (regardless of tax liabil-
17 ity) and in other private facilities where equipment for
18 training is available, including not to exceed \$5,000,000 for
19 payment to such agencies for rental of additional space and
20 for the acquisition by purchase, rental, gift, or otherwise of
21 new or used equipment found necessary by the Commissioner
22 for carrying out the approved plans, \$90,000,000.

23 (2) For the cost of short courses of college grade
24 provided by degree-granting colleges and universities pur-

1 suant to plans submitted by them and approved by the
2 Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses of types
3 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
4 sion designed to meet the shortage of engineers, chemists,
5 physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to
6 the national defense, and such plans may provide for regional
7 coordination of the defense training program of the partici-
8 pating colleges and universities, \$25,000,000: *Provided*,
9 That only colleges and universities which operate under char-
10 ters which exempt their educational property from taxation
11 and public degree-granting educational institutions shall be
12 eligible to receive funds herefrom: *Provided further*, That
13 not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any
14 school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase and
15 rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space
16 found by the Commissioner necessary to carry out its ap-
17 proved plan.

18 (3) For the cost of vocational courses in food produc-
19 tion and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and
20 farm-labor training of less than college grade designed to
21 give general preemployment mechanical training and to assist
22 in attaining the production goals for those farm commodities
23 designated from time to time in the food-for-freedom program
24 promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture
25 pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved

1 by the Commissioner, \$12,500,000, of which not to exceed
2 15 per centum shall be available for payment to such agen-
3 cies for purchase and rental of equipment and rental of space.

4 Visual aids for war training (national defense) : For all
5 necessary expenses of the Office of Education in procuring
6 and making available, for reproduction and use, visual aid
7 instructional units, consisting of motion-picture films, lantern
8 slides, slide films, and film loops, for training in occupations
9 essential to the war effort (each such occupation to be
10 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
11 sion), including personal services in the District of Columbia
12 and elsewhere; travel expenses; printing and binding,
13 \$2,000,000, of which amount not to exceed \$10,000 may
14 be transferred to appropriations for salaries and miscel-
15 laneous expenses of the War Manpower Commission:
16 *Provided*, That copies of slides and films shall be sold at a
17 price sufficient to pay the whole cost of production of such
18 slides and films.

19 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all
20 administrative expenses necessary to enable the Office
21 of Education to carry out the foregoing program of education
22 and training of defense workers, including personal services
23 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses,
24 printing and binding, and not to exceed \$10,000 for the pay-
25 ment of actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per

1 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
2 serving, while away from their homes, without other com-
3 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capac-
4 ity to the Commissioner, \$1,100,000: *Provided*, That
5 the Commissioner shall transmit to Congress quarterly
6 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, a report
7 of the defense training programs which operate under
8 his administration, as provided for in this Act, such reports
9 to show the distribution of Federal funds and activities by
10 States, types of programs, and numbers of persons trained.

11 In the selection of trainees under the provisions of
12 paragraph 1, no maximum age limit for trainees shall be
13 established.

14 No trainee under the appropriations provided for in the
15 foregoing paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 shall be discriminated
16 against because of sex, race, or color, and, where separate
17 schools are required by law for separate population groups,
18 to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable
19 provisions shall be made for facilities and training of like
20 quality.

21 Selection of trainees under the foregoing programs of
22 training shall be based upon the existing and anticipated
23 need for defense workers in occupations essential to the
24 national defense.

25 Not to exceed an aggregate of \$4,000 of the amount

1 appropriated in this title for traveling expenses may be used
2 for expenses of attendance at meetings of educational asso-
3 ciations and other organizations concerned with vocational
4 education.

5 All appropriations for vocational education under the
6 Office of Education in this Act shall be used exclusively
7 for vocational education purposes.

8 The commissioner may delegate to any officer in the
9 Office of Education any of his powers or duties hereunder.

10 PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

11 Division of Venereal Diseases: For the maintenance and
12 expenses of the Division of Venereal Diseases, established by
13 sections 3 and 4, chapter XV, of the Act approved July 9,
14 1918 (42 U. S. C. 24, 25), and for the purpose of carrying
15 out the provisions of the Act of May 24, 1938 (52 Stat.
16 439-440), including personal services in the District of
17 Columbia and elsewhere; items otherwise properly chargeable
18 to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses
19 for the Public Health Service; purchase of reports, docu-
20 ments, and other material for publication and of reprints
21 from State, city, and private publications; purchase (not
22 to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
23 senger-carrying automobiles for official use in field work,
24 \$12,367,000, of which not to exceed \$142,212 may be

1 transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, com-
2 missioned officers, Public Health Service".

3 Grants to States for public-health work: For the purpose
4 of assisting States, counties, health districts, and other politi-
5 cal subdivisions of the States in establishing and maintaining
6 adequate public-health services, including the training of
7 personnel for State and local health work, as authorized in
8 sections 601 and 602, title VI, of the Social Security Act,
9 approved August 14, 1935, as amended (49 Stat. 634),
10 \$11,000,000.

11 Training for nurses (national defense): For the cost,
12 including subsistence, including cash allowances to trainees
13 as provided by Public No. (H. R. 2664 Seventy-eighth
14 Congress), of refresher, student nurse and postgraduate nurs-
15 ing courses, including courses in midwifery, provided by pub-
16 lic agencies operating public educational facilities and by hos-
17 pitals and nursing schools in accordance with plans submitted
18 by them and approved by the Surgeon General of the Public
19 Health Service, at hospitals with recognized schools of nurs-
20 ing, and, where necessary, in the case of postgraduate courses
21 at other institutions, for approved persons who have been
22 licensed to practice as registered nurses under the laws of a
23 State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, \$3,500,000,
24 payment thereof to be made through certification from time
25 to time in accordance with regulations promulgated by the

1 Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service
2 under the supervision and direction of the Federal Security
3 Administrator and approved by the President, by said Sur-
4 geon General to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name
5 of such agency, nursing school, or hospital to whom payment
6 is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment
7 to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General
8 Accounting Office.

9 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all gen-
10 eral administrative expenses necessary to enable the Public
11 Health Service to carry out the foregoing program of nurs-
12 ing courses, including personal services in the District of
13 Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses, and printing
14 and binding, \$50,000.

15 Interstate quarantine service: For cooperation with
16 State and municipal health authorities in the prevention of
17 the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in interstate
18 traffic, including the purchase of one and maintenance,
19 repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles,
20 \$28,000.

21 Prevention of epidemics: To enable the President, in
22 case only of threatened or actual epidemic of infectious or
23 contagious disease, to aid State and local boards or otherwise
24 in his discretion, in preventing and suppressing the spread of
25 the same and in such emergency in the execution of any

1 quarantine laws which may be then in force, including the
2 maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying
3 automobiles, \$300,480.

4 Emergency health and sanitation activities (national
5 defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Surgeon
6 General of the Public Health Service to conduct independ-
7 ently or to assist State and local health authorities in health
8 and sanitation activities (1) in areas adjoining military and
9 naval reservations, (2) in areas where there are concentra-
10 tions of military and naval forces, (3) in areas adjoining
11 Government and private industrial plants engaged in defense
12 work, and (4) in private industrial plants engaged in defense
13 work, to provide emergency health and sanitation services
14 in Government industrial plants engaged in defense work and
15 in areas adjoining United States military and naval reserva-
16 tions outside the United States, and to perform the functions
17 of the Public Health Service under the facility security
18 program authorized by Executive Order Numbered 9165;
19 such expenses to include personal services in the District
20 of Columbia and elsewhere, maintenance and operation of
21 passenger-carrying automobiles, stationery, travel, printing
22 and binding, the purchase of oils, larvicides, and other diluents
23 without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, and
24 items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation
25 for miscellaneous and contingent expenses of the Public

1 Health Service, \$9,729,000, of which not to exceed \$53,686
2 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth,
3 commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

4 Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals: For
5 medical examinations, including the amount necessary for
6 the medical inspection of aliens, as required by section 16
7 of the Act of February 5, 1917 (8 U. S. C. 152), medical,
8 surgical, and hospital services and supplies, including pros-
9 thetic and orthopedic supplies to be furnished under regu-
10 lations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Se-
11 curity Agency for beneficiaries (other than patients of the
12 Veterans' Administration) of the Public Health Service and
13 persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
14 under the quarantine or immigration laws and regulations,
15 including necessary personnel and reserve commissioned of-
16 ficers of the Public Health Service, personal services in the
17 District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the furnishing
18 and laundering of white duck coats, trousers, smocks, aprons,
19 and caps to employees whose duties make necessary the
20 wearing of same, maintenance, minor repairs, equipment,
21 leases, fuel, lights, water, freight, transportation and travel,
22 the maintenance and operation of motortrucks and passenger
23 motor vehicles for use in field work and one for use in
24 the District of Columbia, purchase of ambulances, trans-

1 portation, care, maintenance, and treatment of lepers, includ-
2 ing transportation to their homes in the continental United
3 States of recovered indigent leper patients, court costs,
4 and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or
5 hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent
6 persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane,
7 and reasonable burial expenses (not exceeding \$100 for any
8 patient dying in hospital), \$10,510,700, of which sum not
9 to exceed \$88,700 shall be available for the furnishing by
10 the Public Health Service to and at the request of any
11 Federal department or independent establishment, including
12 Government-owned corporations, of coordinating and con-
13 sultative services with respect to methods and standards for
14 operating emergency health facilities in such department or
15 establishment, including in-service training of such emer-
16 gency health facility personnel, and for providing employees
17 of such agencies (1) tuberculosis and psychiatric examina-
18 tions and (2) health and nutrition instruction through lec-
19 tures and demonstrations, and for printing and binding and
20 travel expenses in connection therewith: *Provided*, That the
21 Immigration and Naturalization Service shall permit the
22 Public Health Service to use the hospitals at Ellis Island
23 Immigration Station for the care of Public Health Service
24 patients free of expense for physical upkeep, but with a
25 charge of actual cost of fuel, light, water, telephone, and

1 similar supplies and services, to be covered into the proper
2 Immigration Service appropriations; and money collected
3 by the Immigration Service on account of hospital expenses
4 of persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
5 under the immigration laws and regulations shall be covered
6 into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts: *Provided further,*
7 That no part of this sum shall be used for the quarantine
8 service (except for persons detained in hospitals of the Public
9 Health Service at points where no quarantine hospital facili-
10 ties are available), the prevention of epidemics, or scientific
11 work of the character provided for under other appropria-
12 tions for the Public Health Service.

13 Division of mental hygiene: For carrying out the pro-
14 visions of section 4 of the Act of June 14, 1930 (21
15 U. S. C. 196, 225) ; for maintenance and operation of the
16 United States Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington,
17 Kentucky, and the United States Public Health Service
18 Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, in accordance with the
19 provisions of the Act of January 19, 1929 (21 U. S. C.
20 221-237), including personal services in the District of
21 Columbia (not to exceed \$23,982) and elsewhere; travel-
22 ing expenses; firearms and ammunition; necessary supplies
23 and equipment; reimbursement to the working capital fund
24 for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities;
25 subsistence and care of inmates; expenses incurred in pur-

1 suing and identifying escaped inmates, including rewards
2 for their capture; expenses of interment or transporting
3 remains of deceased inmates including the remains of persons
4 voluntarily admitted; purchase and exchange of farm prod-
5 ucts and livestock; lawbooks, books of reference, and not to
6 exceed \$100 for newspapers and periodicals; furnishing
7 and laundering of uniforms and other distinctive wearing
8 apparel necessary for employees in the performance of their
9 official duties; transportation and subsistence allowance when
10 necessary, within continental United States and under regula-
11 tions approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security
12 Agency, of persons voluntarily admitted and discharged
13 as cured; tobacco for inmates; purchase (not to exceed two),
14 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled
15 passenger-carrying vehicles, \$1,109,680, and the Surgeon
16 General is authorized to utilize Government-owned automo-
17 tive equipment in transporting, to and from school, children
18 of Public Health Service personnel on duty at the Public
19 Health Service hospitals at Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexing-
20 ton, Kentucky, who have quarters for themselves and their
21 families on the station reservations.

22 Foreign quarantine service: For maintenance and or-
23 dinary expenses of United States quarantine stations and sup-
24 plementary activities abroad, including personal services in
25 the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the maintenance,

1 repair, and operation of motortrucks and motor-propelled
2 passenger-carrying vehicles for official use in field work,
3 \$1,250,000.

4 National Institute of Health: For necessary expenses,
5 not appropriated for elsewhere, of the National Institute of
6 Health, its branches and field offices, including maintenance
7 of buildings; for regulating the propagation and sale of viruses,
8 serums, toxins, and analogous products, including arsphen-
9 mines and other organic arsenic compounds therapeutically
10 analogous thereto; for the preparation of curative and diag-
11 nostic products; and for carrying out the provisions of section
12 603 of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935,
13 and section 1 of the Act of August 14, 1912; such expenses
14 to include personal and other services in the District of
15 Columbia and elsewhere; the purchase, repair, and cleaning
16 of uniforms for the guard force; items otherwise properly
17 chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and con-
18 tingent expenses for the Public Health Service; the purchase
19 (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of
20 passenger-carrying automobiles; and the purchase of reprints
21 of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and
22 journals, \$2,025,020, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may
23 be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation
24 "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health
25 Service".

1 States Relations Division: For all necessary expenses
 2 of the States Relations Division in connection with grants
 3 to States under title VI of the Social Security Act, approved
 4 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal and other
 5 services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere and items
 6 otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for mis-
 7 cellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health
 8 Service, and the maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
 9 senger-carrying automobiles, \$306,800, of which not to ex-
 10 ceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account
 11 to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned
 12 officers, Public Health Service".

13 National Cancer Institute: For carrying into effect the
 14 provisions of section 7 (b) of the National Cancer Institute
 15 Act, approved August 5, 1937, \$530,000, including the pur-
 16 chase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published
 17 in periodicals and journals.

18 Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth: For pay,
 19 allowance, and commutation of quarters for not to exceed
 20 568 regular active commissioned officers (including the Sur-
 21 geon General, Assistant to the Surgeon General, and assistant
 22 surgeons general) and for pay of regular commissioned offi-
 23 cers on waiting orders, \$2,822,000: *Provided*, That the above
 24 limitation on the number of regular active commissioned
 25 officers may be exceeded by the number (not in excess of

1 thirty) of regular active commissioned officers assigned to
2 Federal penal and correctional institutions.

3 Salaries, Office of Surgeon General: For personal serv-
4 ices, \$450,000.

5 Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: For miscel-
6 laneous and contingent expenses necessary for the work of
7 the Public Health Service, including stationery supplies;
8 operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying
9 automobiles; contract stenographic reporting services; not
10 to exceed \$4,500 for the preparation of Public Health
11 exhibits, including personal services and the cost of acquir-
12 ing, transporting, and displaying exhibit materials; packing,
13 unpacking, crating, drayage, and transportation of personal
14 effects of commissioned officers on transfer from one official
15 station to another in the public interest when authorized by
16 the Surgeon General in the order directing such transfer;
17 not to exceed \$850 for lawbooks, books of reference, and
18 periodicals for the Office of the Surgeon General; nominal
19 compensation of collaborating epidemiologists and others;
20 and allowances for living quarters (not exceeding \$1,700
21 for any one person), including heat, fuel, and light, as author-
22 ized by the Act approved June 26, 1930 (5 U. S. C.
23 118a) ; \$195,000.

24 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
25 shall be available for preparation for shipment and trans-

1 portation to their former homes of remains of officers who
2 die in line of duty.

3 SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

4 Salaries and expenses: For support, clothing, and treat-
5 ment in Saint Elizabeths Hospital of persons who have be-
6 come insane since their entry into the armed forces of the
7 United States, insane beneficiaries of the United States Em-
8 ployees' Compensation Commission, and all other insane
9 persons whose admission to the hospital is authorized by law,
10 including not exceeding \$27,000 for maintenance, repair,
11 and operation of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles,
12 and not to exceed \$185,000 for repairs and improvements
13 to buildings and grounds, and not to exceed \$15,000 for
14 furnishing and laundering of such wearing apparel as may be
15 prescribed for employees in the performance of their official
16 duties, \$1,963,000, including cooperation with organizations
17 or individuals in scientific research into the nature, causes,
18 prevention, and treatment of mental illness, and including
19 maintenance and operation of necessary facilities for feeding
20 employees and others (at not less than cost), and the pro-
21 ceeds therefrom shall reimburse the appropriation for the
22 institution; and not exceeding \$1,500 of this sum may be
23 expended in the removal of patients to their friends; not ex-
24 ceeding \$1,500 for the purchase of such books, periodicals,
25 and newspapers as may be required for the purposes of the

1 hospital and for the medical library, and not exceeding
2 \$1,500 for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in
3 the apprehension and return to the hospital of escaped
4 patients: *Provided*, That so much of this sum as may be
5 required shall be available for all necessary expenses in ascer-
6 taining the residence of inmates who are not or who cease
7 to be properly chargeable to Federal maintenance in
8 the institution and in returning them to such places of resi-
9 dence: *Provided further*, That not exceeding \$200 additional
10 may be paid to two employees to provide mail facilities for
11 patients in the hospital: *Provided further*, That during the
12 fiscal year 1944 the District of Columbia, or any branch of
13 the Government requiring Saint Elizabeths Hospital to care
14 for patients for which they are responsible, shall pay by check
15 to the Superintendent upon his written request, either in ad-
16 vance or at the end of each month, all or part of the esti-
17 mated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may
18 be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Eliza-
19 beths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject
20 to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper ad-
21 justments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients
22 paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as
23 may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint
24 Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia govern-

1 ment, department, or establishments concerned. All sums
2 paid to the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital for
3 the care of patients that he is authorized by law to receive
4 shall be deposited to the credit on the books of the Treasury
5 Department of the appropriation made for the care and
6 maintenance of the patients at Saint Elizabeths Hospital for
7 the year in which the support, clothing, and treatment is
8 provided, and be subject to requisition upon the approval of
9 the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

10 SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

11 Grants to States for old-age assistance: For grants to
12 States for assistance to aged needy individuals, as authorized
13 in title I of the Social Security Act, approved August 14,
14 1935, as amended, \$325,000,000, of which sum such amount
15 as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such
16 title I for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to
17 March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the
18 fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in
19 the fiscal year 1944 under such title I may be made with
20 respect to any State plan approved under such title I by the
21 Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no
22 such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
23 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was sub-
24 mitted to the Board for approval.

25 Grants to States for aid to dependent children: For

1 grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to
2 furnish financial assistance to needy dependent children,
3 as authorized in title IV of the Social Security Act, ap-
4 proved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$65,000,000, of which
5 sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available
6 for grants under such title IV for any period in the fiscal
7 year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That
8 payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year
9 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such
10 title IV may be made with respect to any State plan ap-
11 proved under such title IV by the Social Security Board
12 prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be
13 made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the
14 quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for
15 approval.

16 Grants to States for aid to the blind: For grants to
17 States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish
18 financial assistance to needy individuals who are blind, as
19 authorized in title X of the Social Security Act, approved
20 August 14, 1935, as amended, \$9,000,000, of which sum
21 such amount as may be necessary shall be available for
22 grants under such title X for any period in the fiscal year
23 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That pay-
24 ments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943
25 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title X

1 may be made with respect to any State plan approved under
2 such title X by the Social Security Board prior to or during
3 such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect
4 to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such
5 plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

6 The appropriations herein made for "Grants to States
7 for old-age assistance", "Grants to States for aid to depend-
8 ent children", and "Grants to States for aid to the blind",
9 shall be available interchangeably for transfer of appropria-
10 tions, but no such transfer shall be made except upon approval
11 of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

12 Salaries, Bureau of Public Assistance: For personal
13 services in the Bureau of Public Assistance in the District
14 of Columbia and elsewhere, \$900,000.

15 Grants to States for unemployment compensation ad-
16 ministration: For grants to States for unemployment compen-
17 sation administration, as authorized in title III of the Social
18 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended,
19 including rentals in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
20 \$30,000,000, of which such amounts as may be agreed upon
21 by the Board and the Postmaster General, shall be used for
22 the payment, in such manner as said parties may jointly
23 determine, of postage for the transmission of official mail
24 matter in connection with the unemployment compensation
25 administration of States receiving grants herefrom,

1 Salaries, Bureau of Employment Security: For personal
2 services in the Bureau of Employment Security in the Dis-
3 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, \$750,000.

4 Salaries, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance:
5 For personal services in the Bureau of Old-Age and Sur-
6 vivors' Insurance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
7 \$17,000,000.

8 Salaries, Offices of the Social Security Board: For per-
9 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of
10 the Social Security Board and its several offices and bureaus,
11 not otherwise appropriated for herein, \$3,250,000, including
12 the salary of an executive director at the rate of \$9,500 per
13 year.

14 Miscellaneous expenses, Social Security Board: For all
15 expenses, not otherwise appropriated for, necessary to enable
16 the Social Security Board to carry into effect the provisions
17 of the Social Security Act as amended (42 U. S. C. 301-
18 1305), including public instruction and information, and the
19 procurement of information relating to the death of individuals
20 entitled to benefits, receiving benefits, or upon whose death
21 some other individual may become entitled to benefits, under
22 title II of said Act, from proper State and local officials,
23 including officials of the District of Columbia, Alaska, and
24 Hawaii or individuals designated by such State and local
25 officials, and as authorized by the Administrator for personal

1 services on a piece-work basis or otherwise in connection
2 with the procurement of such information without regard to
3 section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the provisions of
4 other laws applicable to the employment and compensation
5 of officers and employees of the United States, which ex-
6 penses shall include reproducing and photographic equip-
7 ment; periodicals; purchase and exchange of lawbooks and
8 books of reference; library membership fees or dues in or-
9 ganizations which issue publications to members only or to
10 members at a lower price than to others, payments for which
11 may be made in advance; alterations and repairs; purchase
12 (not exceeding three), operation, maintenance, and repair
13 of passenger-carrying automobiles; \$3,000,000.

14 If during the fiscal years 1943 or 1944 functions
15 are transferred by the Federal Security Administrator
16 from or between any of the said offices or bureaus, the
17 Administrator may transfer from or between the appropria-
18 tions herein made for salaries for the Social Security Board
19 the amounts necessary for personal services in connection
20 with the functions so transferred.

21 Not to exceed 5 per centum of any of the foregoing
22 appropriations for salaries for the Social Security Board may,
23 subject to the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the
24 Budget, be transferred by the Administrator to any other

1 of such appropriations, but no appropriation may be increased
2 more than 5 per centum thereby.

3 OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

4 Salaries, Office of the Administrator, \$146,000: *Pro-*
5 *vided*, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the
6 rate of \$15,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof
7 is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided*
8 *further*, That of the sum herein appropriated the Adminis-
9 trator may expend not to exceed \$2,500 for temporary em-
10 ployment of persons, by contract or otherwise, for special
11 services determined necessary by the Administrator, without
12 regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil-
13 service and classification laws.

14 Community war services: For all expenses necessary to
15 enable the Federal Security Administrator to carry out the
16 functions transferred from the Office of Defense Health and
17 Welfare Services by Executive Order Numbered 9338, dated
18 April 29, 1943, including personal services in the District of
19 Columbia and elsewhere; the temporary employment of per-
20 sons by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
21 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification
22 laws; acceptance and utilization of voluntary and uncom-
23 pensated services; printing and binding; maintenance, opera-
24 tion, and repair of passenger-carrying motor-propelled

1 vehicles; and traveling expenses, including expenses, when
2 specifically authorized by the Administrator, of attendance
3 at meetings concerned with the purposes of this appropria-
4 tion and payment of actual transportation and other necessary
5 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
6 sistence of persons serving while away from their homes
7 in an advisory capacity to the Administrator without other
8 compensation from the United States, \$1,670,000: *Provided*,
9 That the Administrator may transfer from this appropria-
10 tion to appropriations available to any unit of the Federal
11 Security Agency designated by him to perform any of the
12 functions and duties transferred by Executive Order
13 Numbered 9338 such sums as are necessary for the per-
14 formance of such functions and duties by such other unit.

15 Salaries, Division of Personnel Supervision and Manage-
16 ment, \$120,000.

17 Salaries, Chief Clerk's Division, \$280,000.

18 Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, \$531,380.

19 Miscellaneous expenses, Office of Administrator: For
20 miscellaneous expenses of the Office of the Administrator in
21 the District of Columbia and elsewhere (except printing and
22 binding) ; examination of estimates for appropriations in the
23 field; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, other books of
24 reference, and periodicals; library membership fees or dues in
25 organizations which issue publications to members only or to

1 members at a lower price than to others, payment for which
2 may be made in advance; and purchase, operation, mainte-
3 nance, and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying
4 vehicles, \$75,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may
5 transfer to this appropriation from appropriations of the
6 constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency
7 such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of
8 duplicating materials required in performance of duplicating
9 work for such constituent organizations.

10 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
11 be available for the Office of the Administrator in an amount
12 not to exceed \$1,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings
13 or conventions concerned with the work of the Federal Se-
14 curity Agency, when specifically authorized by the Federal
15 Security Administrator; and not to exceed \$1,000 for pay-
16 ment of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10
17 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away
18 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
19 capacity to the Federal Security Agency.

20 Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency: For
21 traveling expenses (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the
22 Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and con-
23 stituent organizations thereof, including actual transportation
24 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
25 sistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away

1 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
2 capacity to the Federal Security Agency; expenses, when
3 specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator,
4 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
5 Federal Security Agency; and reimbursement, at not to
6 exceed 3 cents per mile, for travel performed by employees
7 of the Federal Security Agency in privately owned auto-
8 mobiles and within the limits of their official stations, when
9 engaged in the investigation of claims or the furnishing or
10 securing of information concerning claims or wage records
11 under title II of the Social Security Act, as amended (42
12 U. S. C. 401-409), \$1,620,000: *Provided*, That all receipts
13 from non-Federal agencies representing reimbursement for
14 subsistence and other expenses of travel of employees of the
15 Office of Education performing advisory functions to said
16 agencies shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United
17 States to the credit of this appropriation: *Provided further*,
18 That the Federal Security Administrator may hereafter dele-
19 gate to such officers and employees as he may designate for
20 the purpose all his authority in connection with the transfer
21 of personnel and household goods and effects from one official
22 station to another.

23 Printing and binding, Federal Security Agency: For
24 printing and binding (not appropriated for elsewhere) for

1 the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and
2 constituent organizations thereof, including the purchase of
3 reprints of scientific and technical articles published in peri-
4 odicals and journals, \$900,000, of which \$567,700 shall
5 be solely for printed forms, tabulating cards, and tabulating
6 forms in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

7 In order that the Administrator may effectuate reor-
8 ganization plans submitted and approved pursuant to the
9 Reorganization Act of 1939, he may transfer to the fore-
10 going appropriations under this title from funds available for
11 administrative expenses of the constituent units of the Fed-
12 eral Security Agency such sums as represent a consolidation
13 in the Office of the Administrator of any of the administrative
14 functions of said constituent units: *Provided*, That no such
15 transfer of funds shall be made unless the consolidation of
16 administrative functions will result in a reduction of adminis-
17 trative salary and other expenses and such reduction is ac-
18 companied by savings in funds appropriated to the Federal
19 Security Agency, which savings shall not be expended for
20 any other purpose but shall be impounded and returned to
21 the Treasury.

22 The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer
23 to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security
24 Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and print-

1 ing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts
2 as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred
3 shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suit-
4 able titles and shall be available for the same purposes and
5 subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from
6 which transferred: *Provided*, That balances of any amounts
7 so transferred, or any part of such balances shall, upon
8 request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appro-
9 priations for traveling expenses and printing and binding,
10 Federal Security Agency.

11 None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the
12 Social Security Board for grants-in-aid of State agencies
13 to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said
14 agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and
15 employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said
16 agencies of any States which have established by legislative
17 enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social
18 Security Act and have in operation a merit system and
19 classification and compensation plan covering the selection,
20 tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, be-
21 cause of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner
22 of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the
23 rates of pay of said officers or employees.

24 This title may be cited as the "Federal Security Agency
25 Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the District of Columbia, including not to exceed \$1,000 for temporary experts and assistants in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, to be paid at a rate not exceeding \$8 per day, and for personal services in the field; for furniture and other equipment and repairs thereto; lawbooks, books of reference, periodicals; stationery and supplies; traveling expenses; fees and mileage of witnesses; contract stenographic reporting services; rent in the District of Columbia for the administration of the Act of May 17, 1928 (45 Stat. 600); and miscellaneous items; \$837,000.

Salaries and expenses, military bases (national defense): For all necessary expenses of the Employees' Compensation Commission in administering the Act of August 16, 1941 (55 Stat. 622), making applicable the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 U. S. C. 901) to military, air, and naval bases outside continental United States, including personal services in the District of Columbia; lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; printing and binding; fees and mileage of witnesses; stenographic reporting services, by contract or otherwise; purchase, maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled or horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles for use in the field;

1 \$25,000, together with the unexpended balance of appro-
2 priation for this purpose for the fiscal year 1943: *Provided*,
3 That section 3709, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to any
4 purchase or service outside continental United States when
5 the unit aggregate amount involved does not exceed \$500.

6 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
7 Employees' Compensation Commission, \$17,000.

8 Employees' compensation fund: For the payment of
9 compensation provided by "An Act to provide compensation
10 for employees of the United States suffering injuries while
11 in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes",
12 approved September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 785), including
13 medical examinations, traveling and other expenses, and loss
14 of wages payable to employees under sections 21 and 22; all
15 services, appliances, and supplies provided by section 9 as
16 amended, including payments to Army, Navy, and Veterans'
17 Administration hospitals; the transportation and burial ex-
18 penses provided by sections 9 and 11; and advancement of
19 costs for the enforcement of recoveries provided in sections
20 26 and 27 where necessary, accruing during the fiscal year
21 1944 or in prior fiscal years, \$6,850,000.

22 For the payment of compensation benefits (including
23 the advancement of costs for the enforcement of third party
24 recoveries, and payments to other Federal agencies for
25 medical and hospital services) authorized by the Act of

1 February 15, 1934 (5 U. S. C. 796), extending the Act
2 of September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 751), to persons render-
3 ing services as employees of the United States pursuant to
4 said Act of February 15, 1934, the Act of June 19, 1934
5 (48 Stat. 1056), and the several emergency relief and
6 National Youth Administration appropriation Acts and to
7 veterans and other persons included under title V of the
8 Act of June 29, 1936 (49 Stat. 2035), there is hereby
9 reappropriated the unexpended balance of the appropriation
10 "Employees' compensation fund emergency relief, 1943",
11 and of such special funds as have heretofore been established
12 in the Treasury pursuant to such Acts, of which \$435.820
13 shall be available for administrative expenses of the Em-
14 ployees' Compensation Commission of which latter sum not
15 to exceed \$75,000 may be added to the appropriation in
16 this Act for salaries and expenses, United States Employees'
17 Compensation Commission: *Provided*, That the Commission
18 shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment
19 and burial expenses, including transportation and other ex-
20 penses incidental to such services, treatment and burial, to
21 such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may
22 be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hos-
23 pital services and treatment at Government expense on
24 June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the
25 Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and

1 the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7,
2 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services,
3 treatment, and expenses.

4 This title may be cited as the "Employees' Compensa-
5 tion Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

6 TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

7 Salaries: For three Board members of the National
8 Labor Relations Board and other personal services of the
9 Board in the District of Columbia and elsewhere necessary
10 in performing the duties imposed by law, \$1,915,000.

11 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
12 authorized and necessary expenditures, other than salaries,
13 of the National Labor Relations Board in performing duties
14 imposed by law or in pursuance of law, including repairs
15 and alterations; communication services; contract steno-
16 graphic reporting services; lawbooks; books of reference;
17 periodicals; and operation, maintenance, and repair of one
18 automobile, \$478,000.

19 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
20 the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and
21 elsewhere, \$220,000.

22 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
23 penses necessary to enable thte National Labor Relations
24 Board to perform the duties imposed upon it by law or in
25 pursuance of law in connection with disputes involving labor

1 in industries under the national defense program, including
2 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
3 and other items otherwise properly chargeable to appro-
4 priations of the National Labor Relations Board for miscel-
5 laneous expenses and printing and binding, \$600,000.

6 This title may be cited as the "National Labor Relations
7 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

8 TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

9 For three members of the Board, and for other author-
10 ized expenditures of the National Mediation Board in per-
11 forming the duties imposed by law, including contract steno-
12 graphic reporting services; supplies and equipment; not
13 to exceed \$200 for books of reference, and periodicals,
14 \$184,500, of which amount not to exceed \$138,790 may be
15 expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

16 Salaries and expenses, emergency panels, and so forth,
17 National Mediation Board: For all necessary expenses of the
18 National Railway Labor panel, including compensation of
19 the members thereof at not to exceed \$50 per day and \$6
20 per diem in lieu of subsistence on such days as they are
21 actually engaged in performance of the duties of the panel;
22 travel expenses of members of the panel, including such
23 expenses to and from their homes or regular places of busi-
24 ness; printing and binding; contract stenographic reporting
25 services; and personal services in the District of Columbia

1 to enable the chairman of said panel to perform his functions
2 under Executive Order Numbered 9299, \$50,000.

3 Arbitration and emergency boards: To enable the
4 National Mediation Board to pay necessary expenses of
5 arbitration boards, and emergency boards appointed by the
6 President pursuant to section 10 of the Railway Labor Act
7 approved May 20, 1926 (45 U. S. C. 160), including com-
8 pensation of members and employees of such boards, together
9 with their necessary traveling expenses and expenses actu-
10 ally incurred for subsistence while so employed, and printing
11 of awards, together with proceedings and testimony relating
12 thereto, as authorized by the Railway Labor Act, including
13 also contract stenographic reporting service, and rent of
14 quarters when suitable quarters cannot be supplied in any
15 Federal building, the unexpended balance of previous ap-
16 propriations for these purposes shall be available.

17 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
18 the National Mediation Board, \$2,500.

19 NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

20 Salaries and expenses: For authorized expenditures of
21 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, in performing the
22 duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic re-
23 porting services and supplies and equipment, \$235,500, of
24 which \$62,500 shall be available only for compensation not
25 in excess of \$50 per day and expenses of referees, and not

1 more than \$118,680 for other personal services: *Provided*,
 2 That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the fiscal
 3 year 1944 to any person for services as referee.

4 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
 5 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, \$17,500.

6 This title may be cited as the "National Mediation
 7 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

8 TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

9 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
 10 bia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed
 11 by law, \$1,706,769.

12 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
 13 necessary expenditures, other than salaries and printing and
 14 binding, of the Railroad Retirement Board in performing
 15 the duties imposed by law, including rent in the District
 16 of Columbia and elsewhere; traveling expenses, including
 17 not to exceed \$1,000 for expenses of attendance at meet-
 18 ings concerned with the work of the Board when specifically
 19 authorized by the Board; not to exceed \$2,500 for payment
 20 of actual transportation and per diem (not to exceed \$10)
 21 in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
 22 serving while away from their homes without other com-
 23 pensation in an advisory capacity to the Railroad Retire-
 24 ment Board; repairs and alterations; contract stenographic
 25 reporting services; other fees and compensation; sup-

plies and equipment (including photographic equipment) ;
not to exceed \$5,000 for lawbooks, books of reference,
periodicals, and for payment in advance when authorized
by the Board for library membership in organizations which
issue publications to members only or to members at a price
lower than to the general public; operation, maintenance,
and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles;
and expenses incident to moving the office of the Board
from one building to another, \$450,000.

Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
Railroad Retirement Board, \$34,000.

Railroad retirement account: For an amount sufficient
as an annual premium for the payments required under the
Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, and
the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 24, 1937, and
authorized to be appropriated to the railroad retirement ac-
count established under section 15 (a) of the latter Act,
\$262,720,000, of which \$20,774,000 shall be immediately
available: *Provided*, That such total amount shall be avail-
able until expended for making payments required under
said retirement Acts, and the amount not required for current
payments shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury
in accordance with the provisions of said Railroad Retirement
Act of June 24, 1937.

1 This title may be cited as the "Railroad Retirement
2 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

3 TITLE VII—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESI-
4 DENT—OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGE-
5 MENT

6 WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

7 General administration: For all necessary expenses for
8 the general administration of the War Manpower Commis-
9 sion, including not to exceed \$10,000 for the employment of
10 aliens, not to exceed \$160,000 for printing and binding,
11 and not to exceed \$1,098,214 for travel expenses,
12 \$9,994,800.

13 APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

14 Apprentice training service: For all expenses necessary
15 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
16 to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training,
17 including printing and binding (not to exceed \$3,000),
18 and travel expenses (not to exceed \$100,000), \$465,500.

19 Apprentice training service (national defense): For
20 all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War
21 Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging
22 apprentice training in national defense industries, including
23 printing and binding (not to exceed \$15,000), and travel
24 expenses (not to exceed \$161,000), \$550,000.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Employment office facilities and services: For all necessary expenses of the War Manpower Commission in connection with the operation and maintenance of employment office facilities and services, and the performance of functions, duties, and powers relating to employment service transferred to the War Manpower Commission by Executive Order Numbered 9247, including the recruitment and placement of individuals for work or training in occupations essential to the war effort; such expenses to include contract janitorial services, at not to exceed \$300 for any individual; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately owned automobiles within the limits of their official station; printing and binding (not to exceed \$265,000); travel expenses (not to exceed \$1,980,000); and rent in the District of Columbia: *Provided*, That payment of salaries may be made to employees while taking annual and sick leave based upon unused leave accrued under State regulations found by the Social Security Board to conform to the requirements of title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and on the basis of State employment which had been financed in whole or in part from grants under title III of said Act, including payment for accrued leave to be substituted for leave without pay taken between January 1, 1942, and June 30, 1942,

1 which payment shall not exceed in any case the amount
2 payable for such purposes under Federal laws with respect
3 to the maximum accumulation of such leave: *Provided fur-*
4 *ther*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
5 may transfer funds from this appropriation to the Social
6 Security Board for "grants to States for unemployment com-
7 pensation administration" as authorized in title III of the
8 Social Security Act, as amended, to meet costs incurred by
9 States in making available to the War Manpower Commis-
10 sion premises, equipment, supplies, facilities, and services,
11 needed by the Commission in the operation and maintenance
12 of employment office facilities and services, any sum so
13 transferred and not expended in accordance with this proviso
14 to be retransferred to this appropriation, \$45,500,000: *Pro-*
15 *vided further*, That pending the return to State control after
16 the war emergency of the Employment Service facilities,
17 property, and personnel loaned by the States to the United
18 States Employment Service, no portion of the sum herein
19 appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for
20 any salary, to any individual engaged in employment-service
21 duties in any position within any local or field or State office,
22 which substantially exceeds the salary which would apply to
23 such position and individual if the relevant State merit sys-
24 tem applied and if State operation of such office had con-
25 tinued without interruption: *Provided further*, That no por-

tion of the sum herein appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for the salary of any person who is engaged for more than half of the time, as determined by the State director of unemployment compensation, in the administration of the State unemployment compensation act, including claims taking but excluding registration for work.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

For all necessary expenses to enable the National Youth Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the National Youth Administration and the conservation and disposition of all the property of whatever type (including buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of all types), in use by said National Youth Administration, including the personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Government service due to the discontinuance of the National Youth Administration operations, and such travel and other necessary expenses as may be incurred in connection with the liquidation of the National Youth Administration from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made to the National Youth Administration in the "Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act of 1942" not exceeding \$3,000,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall be completed as quickly as possible, but in any event not later than January 1, 1944.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Salaries and expenses, Selective Service System, War Manpower Commission: For all expenses necessary for the operation and maintenance of the Selective Service System as authorized by the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 (50 U. S. C. App. 301); including not to exceed \$640,000 for printing and binding; \$51,856,000: *Provided*, That such amounts as may be necessary shall be available for the planning, directing, and operation of a program of work of national importance under civilian direction, either independently or in cooperation with governmental or non-governmental agencies, and the assignment and delivery thereto of individuals found to be conscientiously opposed to participation in work of the land or naval forces, which co-operation with other agencies may include the furnishing of funds to and acceptance of money, services, or other forms of assistance from such nongovernmental agencies for the more effectual accomplishment of the work; and including also the pay and allowances of such individuals at rates not in excess of those paid to persons inducted into the Army under the Selective Service System, and such privileges as are accorded such inductees: *Provided further*, That the travel of persons engaged in the administration of the Selective Service System, including commissioned, warrant, or

1 enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or
2 their reserve components, may be ordered by the Director
3 or by such persons as he may authorize, and persons so trav-
4 eling shall be entitled to transportation and subsistence or
5 per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized by law:
6 *Provided further*, That the Director of Selective Service, in
7 prescribing per diem rates of allowance, not exceeding \$6,
8 in lieu of subsistence for officers of the Army, Navy, and
9 Marine Corps, and of the reserve components thereof, travel-
10 ing on official business and away from their designated posts
11 of duty, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 12 of the
12 Act approved June 16, 1942 (37 U. S. C. 112), is hereby
13 authorized to prescribe such per diem rates of allowance,
14 whether or not orders are given to such officers for travel to
15 be performed repeatedly between two or more places in the
16 same vicinity, and without regard to the length of time away
17 from their designated posts of duty under such orders.

18 TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

19 Training-within-industry service, War Manpower Com-
20 mission (national defense): For all expenses necessary
21 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
22 sion to promote and facilitate on-the-job training and
23 maximum utilization of workers by industries and activities
24 essential to the war by affording training to supervisory
25 personnel; including the temporary employment of persons

1 by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
2 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classifica-
3 tion laws; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per
4 mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately
5 owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations;
6 printing and binding (not to exceed \$50,000); and travel
7 expenses (not to exceed \$300,440), \$1,686,000.

8 SEC. 702. The general provisions under the caption
9 "Executive Office of the President—Office for Emergency
10 Management", contained in the National War Agencies
11 Appropriation Act, 1944, and applicable to the constituent
12 agencies of the Office for Emergency Management con-
13 tained therein shall be applicable in the same manner to
14 the War Manpower Commission and the appropriations
15 therefor contained in this title.

16 SEC. 703. This title may be cited as the "War Man-
17 power Commission Appropriation Act, 1944."

18 TITLE VIII—GENERAL PROVISIONS

19 SEC. 801. No part of any appropriation contained in
20 this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any
21 position for which he or she has been nominated after the
22 Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said
23 person.

24 SEC. 802. No part of any appropriation contained in
25 this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any

1 person who advocates, or who is a member of an organi-
2 zation that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of
3 the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for
4 the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima
5 facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not
6 advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advo-
7 cates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States
8 by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person
9 who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that
10 advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United
11 States by force or violence and accepts employment the
12 salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation
13 contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon
14 conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or impris-
15 oned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*,
16 That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and
17 not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

18 SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training
19 of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available
20 for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after
21 cessation of hostilities in the present war.

22 SEC. 804. No part of any appropriation contained in
23 this Act shall be impounded or withheld from obligation
24 or expenditure by any agency or official other than the

1 head of the department or independent establishment to
2 which such appropriation is made.

3 SEC. 805. This Act may be cited as the "Labor-Federal
4 Security Appropriation Act, 1944".

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A BILL

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

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AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

- 1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money
4 in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Depart-
5 ment of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
6 independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30,
7 1944, namely:

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia, \$352,000.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and for other necessary expenses in the field, including contract stenographic reporting services, \$715,000.

Contingent expenses: For expenses of the offices and bureaus of the Department, for which appropriations for expenses are not specifically made, including the purchase of stationery, furniture, and repairs to the same, carpets, matting, oilcloths, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap, sponges, laundry, not exceeding \$1,000 for streetcar fares; purchase, maintenance, and repair of motorcycles and motortrucks; maintenance, operation, and repair of four motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; freight and express charges; commercial and labor-reporting services; postage to foreign countries, telegraph and telephone service; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, books of reference, newspapers, and periodicals and, when authorized by the Secretary of Labor, dues for library membership in societies or associations which issue publications to members only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members, not exceeding \$6,000; contract steno-

1 graphic services; and teletype service and tolls (not to
2 exceed \$1,100), \$166,550.

3 Traveling expenses: For traveling expenses under the
4 Department of Labor, including reimbursement to employees
5 of the Wage and Hour Division, at not to exceed 3 cents
6 per mile, for expenses of travel performed by them in pri-
7 vately owned automobiles within the limits of their official
8 stations in the field, \$1,092,000.

9 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
10 Department of Labor, \$263,500.

11 Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For
12 salaries and other expenses, including purchase and distribu-
13 tion of reports, and of material for informational exhibits,
14 in connection with the promotion of health, safety, employ-
15 ment stabilization, and amicable industrial relations for labor
16 and industry, \$146,000.

17 Salaries and expenses, Safety and Health Program (na-
18 tional defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the
19 Secretary of Labor to conduct a program of safety and health
20 among employees engaged in national-defense industries, in-
21 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia and
22 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to
23 the appropriations under the Department of Labor for con-
24 tingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
25 binding, \$150,000.

1 The appropriation under this title for traveling expenses
2 shall be available for expenses of attendance of cooperating
3 officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the
4 work of the Division of Labor Standards when called by the
5 Division of Labor Standards with the written approval of the
6 Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also in an amount
7 not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings
8 related to the work of the Division of Labor Standards when
9 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

10 Commissioners of conciliation: For expenses necessary
11 to enable the Secretary of Labor to exercise the authority
12 vested in him by section 8 of the Act creating the Depart-
13 ment of Labor (5 U. S. C. 611), including newspapers, books
14 of reference, and periodicals; and not to exceed \$68,827 for
15 personal services in the District of Columbia, \$444,000.

16 Commissioners of Conciliation (national defense): For
17 all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to
18 perform conciliation services in situations growing out of
19 employment in industries under the national defense pro-
20 gram, including personal services in the District of Columbia
21 and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly charge-
22 able to the appropriations under the Department of Labor
23 for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
24 binding, \$1,500,000.

25 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses

1 shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for
2 expenses of attendance at meetings, conferences, or conven-
3 tions concerned with labor and industrial relations when
4 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

6 Salaries and expenses: For personal services including
7 temporary statistical clerks, stenographers, and typists in
8 the District of Columbia, and including also experts and
9 temporary assistants for field service outside of the District
10 of Columbia; purchase of periodicals, documents, envelopes,
11 price quotations, and reports and materials for reports and
12 bulletins of said Bureau, \$1,100,000, of which amount not
13 to exceed \$970,000 may be expended for the salary of the
14 Commissioner and other personal services in the District of
15 Columbia.

16 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
17 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000, for
18 expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work
19 of the Bureau of Labor Statistics when incurred on the
20 written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

21 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
22 penses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor, through
23 the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation to the national
24 security and defense, to perform the functions authorized by
25 the Act of June 13, 1838, and other Acts (29 U. S. C. 1):

1 to continue occupational outlook surveys throughout the
2 United States; and to conduct studies relative to problems
3 connected with labor likely to arise upon the termination
4 of the existing emergent conditions in connection with de-
5 fense activities throughout the United States, in cooperation
6 with the National Resources Planning Board; such expenses
7 to include personal services in the District of Columbia and
8 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable
9 to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for
10 contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
11 binding, and not to exceed \$15,000 for the temporary em-
12 ployment of experts without regard to the civil service and
13 classification laws, \$1,162,000.

14 CHILDREN'S BUREAU

15 Salaries and expenses: For expenses of investigating and
16 reporting upon matters pertaining to the welfare of children
17 and child life, and especially to investigate the questions of
18 infant mortality; personal services, including experts and
19 temporary assistants; purchase of reports and material for
20 the publications of the Children's Bureau and for reprints
21 from State, city, and private publications for distribution
22 when said reprints can be procured more cheaply than they
23 can be printed by the Government, and other necessary
24 expenses, \$324,000, of which amount not to exceed \$289,600

1 may be expended for personal services in the District of
2 Columbia.

3 Salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair
4 Labor Standards Act: For all authorized and necessary
5 expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties
6 imposed upon it by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938,
7 including personal services in the District of Columbia and
8 elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books
9 of reference, and periodicals; and reimbursement to State
10 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
11 as authorized by section 11 of said Act, \$200,000.

12 MATERNAL AND CHILD WELFARE

13 Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare:
14 For all authorized and necessary administrative expenses of
15 the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed
16 upon it by title V of the Social Security Act, approved
17 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal services,
18 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services;
19 equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals,
20 \$350,000: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriation
21 contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry
22 out any instruction, order, or regulation relating to the care
23 of obstetrical cases which discriminates between persons
24 licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

1 Grants to States for maternal and child health services:

2 For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State
3 to extend and improve services for promoting the health of
4 mothers and children, as authorized in title V, part 1, of
5 the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42
6 U. S. C. 701), as amended, \$5,820,000: *Provided*, That
7 any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) shall
8 not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections
9 (a) and (b) of section 504 an amount expended or
10 estimated to be expended by the State.

11 Grants to States for services for crippled children: For
12 the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve
13 services for crippled children, as authorized in title V, part
14 2, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935
15 (42 U. S. C. 711), as amended, \$3,870,000.

16 Grants to States for child-welfare services: For grants
17 to States for the purpose of enabling the United States,
18 through the Children's Bureau, to cooperate with State
19 public-welfare agencies in establishing, extending, and
20 strengthening public-welfare services for the care of home-
21 less or neglected children, or children in danger of becoming
22 delinquent, as authorized in title V, part 3, of the Social
23 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 721),
24 as amended, \$1,510,000.

25 Grants to States for emergency maternity and infant

1 care (national defense) : For grants to States, including
2 Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia,
3 to provide, in addition to similar services otherwise avail-
4 able, medical, nursing, and hospital maternity and infant
5 care for wives and infants of enlisted men in the armed
6 forces of the United States, under allotments by the Seere-
7 tary of Labor and plans developed and administered by
8 State health agencies and approved by the Chief of the
9 Children's Bureau, \$4,000,000.

10 In the administration of title V of the Social Security
11 Act, as amended, for the fiscal year 1944, payments
12 to the States for any quarter of the fiscal year 1944
13 under parts 1, 2, and 3 may be made with respect to any
14 State plan approved under such respective parts by the Chief
15 of the Children's Bureau prior to or during such quarter, but
16 no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
17 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan is sub-
18 mitted to the Chief of the Children's Bureau for approval.

19 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
20 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$11,000, for
21 expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants
22 at conferences concerned with the administration of work of
23 the Children's Bureau under the Fair Labor Standards Act
24 and under title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security

1 Act, as amended, when called by the Children's Bureau with
2 the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be
3 available also, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000, for ex-
4 penses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the
5 Children's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
6 of the Secretary of Labor.

7 WOMEN'S BUREAU

8 Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions
9 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish in the Department
10 of Labor a bureau to be known as the Women's Bureau",
11 approved June 5, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 11-16), including
12 personal services in the District of Columbia; purchase of
13 material for reports and educational exhibits, \$160,000.

14 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
15 be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,500 for expenses
16 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
17 Women's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
18 of the Secretary of Labor.

19 WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

20 Salaries: For personal services for the Wage and Hour
21 Division necessary in performing the duties imposed by the
22 Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
23 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
24 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
25 (41 U. S. C. 38), including reimbursement to State, Fed-

1 eral, and local agencies and their employees for services
2 rendered, \$3,750,000, of which amount not to exceed
3 \$675,000 (exclusive of pay of members of industry com-
4 mittees) may be expended for departmental salaries.

5 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For
6 necessary expenses, other than salaries, of the Wage and
7 Hour Division in performing the duties imposed by the Fair
8 Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
9 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
10 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
11 (41 U. S. C. 38), including stenographic reporting services
12 by contract or otherwise, purchase of one and maintenance,
13 repair, and operation outside the District of Columbia, of
14 three motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, lawbooks,
15 books of reference, periodicals, manuscripts and special re-
16 ports, newspapers, and reimbursement to State, Federal,
17 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
18 \$250,000.

19 The Secretary of Labor may allot or transfer, with
20 the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget,
21 funds from the foregoing appropriations for the Wage
22 and Hour Division to any other bureau or office of the
23 Department of Labor to enable such bureau or office to
24 perform services for the Wage and Hour Division.

25 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall

1 be available in an amount not to exceed \$4,750 for expenses
2 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
3 Wage and Hour Division when incurred on the written
4 authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 This title may be cited as the "Department of Labor
6 Appropriation Act, 1944".

7 TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

8 AMERICAN PRINTING HOUSE FOR THE BLIND

9 To enable the American Printing House for the Blind
10 more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the
11 education of the blind in accordance with the provisions of
12 the Act approved February 8, 1927 (20 U. S. C. 101),
13 \$115,000.

14 CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

15 For all necessary expenses to enable the Federal Se-
16 curity Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the
17 Civilian Conservation Corps and the conservation and dis-
18 position of all of the property of whatever type (including
19 camp buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of
20 all types) in use by said Corps, including personal services
21 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for
22 accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Gov-
23 ernment service due to the discontinuance of Corps operations;
24 and for such travel and other necessary expenses as may be
25 incurred in connection with liquidation of said Civilian Con-

1 servation Corps from the unexpended balances of the appro-
2 priations made to the Civilian Conservation Corps in the
3 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1942, not
4 exceeding \$20,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall
5 be completed as quickly as possible but in any event not
6 later than June 30, 1944: *Provided further*, That for the
7 purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the
8 Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved
9 June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and
10 effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liqui-
11 dation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator
12 shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such
13 Corps by such Act.

14 Notwithstanding the provisions of the Act of December
15 23, 1941 (Public Law 371), the Federal Security Admin-
16 istrator is authorized, during the fiscal year 1944, to dispose
17 of any camp buildings, no longer needed for Civilian Con-
18 servation Corps purposes, and housekeeping and camp main-
19 tenance equipment necessary in connection therewith, by
20 transfer with or without reimbursement, to other Federal
21 agencies or, upon such terms as he may prescribe to any
22 State, county, municipality, or nonprofit organization for the
23 promotion of conservation, education, recreation, or health:
24 *Provided*, That, in the case of buildings located on land owned
25 by the United States, any such disposition shall be subject

1 to the approval of the agency of the United States having
 2 jurisdiction of such lands: *And provided further*, That such
 3 buildings and equipment shall first be tendered to the War
 4 Department and Navy Department for use in prosecution of
 5 the war, or the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which
 6 Departments or agency shall have sixty days from the date
 7 of notification of availability of such buildings and equipment
 8 to accept such tender.

9 COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

10 For support of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf,
 11 including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illus-
 12 trative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements,
 13 \$155,200.

14 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

15 For all necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
 16 ministration in carrying out the investigations, including col-
 17 lecting, reporting, and illustrating the results thereof, and
 18 performing the functions required to carry into effect the
 19 provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
 20 (21 U. S. C. 301-392) ; the Act approved March 2, 1897.
 21 entitled "An Act to prevent the importation of impure and
 22 unwholesome tea" (21 U. S. C. 41-50), which may here-
 23 after be cited as the Tea Importation Act; the Act approved
 24 February 15, 1927, to regulate the importation of milk and
 25 cream into the United States, and so forth (21 U. S. C.

1 141-149), which may hereafter be cited as the Import Milk
2 Act; the Federal Caustic Poison Act (15 U. S. C. 401-
3 411); and the Act approved May 4, 1923, entitled "An Act
4 to prohibit the shipment of filled milk in interstate or foreign
5 commerce" (21 U. S. C. 61-64), which may hereafter be
6 cited as the Filled Milk Act; as follows:

7 Enforcement operations: To enable the Federal Security
8 Administrator to carry into effect the provisions of the above
9 statutes, including personal services in the District of Colum-
10 bia (not exceeding \$673,000) and elsewhere; purchase (not
11 to exceed ten), operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-
12 propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles; pur-
13 chase of chemicals, apparatus, and scientific equipment; con-
14 tract stenographic reporting services; books of reference and
15 periodicals, \$2,200,000; and the Administrator, in carrying
16 into effect the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and
17 Cosmetic Act, is authorized hereafter to cooperate with as-
18 sociations and scientific societies in the revision of the United
19 States Pharmacopoeia and in the development of methods of
20 analysis and mechanical and physical tests necessary to carry
21 out the work of the Food and Drug Administration and to
22 pay the compensation and expenses of the members of the
23 Board appointed under section 2 of the Tea Importation Act,
24 and such compensation and expenses shall not be paid out

1 of the appropriation for "Expenses of collecting the revenue
2 from customs".

3 Salaries, sea-food inspectors: For salaries of sea-food
4 inspectors designated in accordance with the provisions of
5 section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act, as
6 amended by the Act of August 27, 1935 (21 U. S. C.
7 372a), which may hereafter be cited as section 702A of the
8 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, \$40,000.

9 General administration: For general administration, in-
10 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia,
11 \$90,000.

12 FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

13 For officers and employees and compensation for all
14 other professional and other services that may be required
15 and expressly approved by the Federal Security Administra-
16 tor, \$490,000.

17 Miscellaneous expenses: For subsistence; fuel and light,
18 not exceeding \$500 for expenses of attendance upon meet-
19 ings of a technical nature, pertaining to hospital adminis-
20 tration and medical advancement, when authorized by the
21 Federal Security Administrator; clothing to include white
22 cotton or duck suits for the use of internes, and cotton or
23 duck uniforms or aprons for cooks, maids, and attendants, and
24 laundering thereof; rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage,
25 medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments,

1 electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, and
2 furniture; maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying
3 vehicles; not exceeding \$250 for the purchase of books,
4 periodicals, and newspapers; not to exceed \$2,000 for the
5 special instruction of student nurses; reimbursement to the
6 appropriations of Howard University of actual cost of heat
7 and light furnished, and other necessary expenses \$196,000:
8 *Provided*, That there shall be transferred from this appro-
9 priation to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, public
10 buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, Public
11 Buildings Administration" for direct expenditure by the
12 Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations,
13 improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds
14 of Freedmen's Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred
15 from this appropriation to the appropriation "Traveling
16 expenses, Federal Security Agency", and that \$2,500 shall
17 be transferred to the appropriation "Miscellaneous and
18 contingent expenses, Public Health Service": *Provided*
19 *further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing
20 appropriations for the Freedmen's Hospital shall be charge-
21 able to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner
22 as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are
23 paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time
24 to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so

1 that the portion of each of these appropriations charged
 2 to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to
 3 the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital
 4 days of service to persons who have resided in the District
 5 of Columbia for over one year on the day of admission bears
 6 to the total number of hospital days of service performed.

7 HOWARD UNIVERSITY

8 Salaries: For payment in full or in part of the salaries
 9 of the officers, professors, teachers, and other regular em-
 10 ployees of the university, the balance to be paid from
 11 privately contributed funds, \$591,240.

12 Expenses, Howard University: For equipment, sup-
 13 plies, apparatus, furniture, cases and shelving, stationery,
 14 ice, repairs to buildings and grounds, and for other necessary
 15 expenses of the university, \$156,000.

16 OFFICE OF EDUCATION

17 Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the
 18 mechanic arts: For carrying out the provisions of section 22
 19 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into
 20 basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to pro-
 21 vide for the further development of cooperative agricultural
 22 extension work and the more complete endowment and
 23 support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935
 24 (49 Stat. 436), \$2,480,000.

25 Library service: For making surveys, studies, investiga-

1 tions, and reports regarding public, school, college, univer-
 2 sity, and other libraries; fostering coordination of public and
 3 school library service; coordinating library service on the
 4 national level with other forms of adult education; developing
 5 library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nation-
 6 wide coordination of research materials among the more
 7 scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the
 8 development of public, school, and other library service
 9 throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses
 10 incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such
 11 assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the Dis-
 12 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, as the Commissioner of
 13 Education may deem necessary, purchase of miscellaneous
 14 supplies, equipment, stationery, postage on foreign mail,
 15 books of reference, lawbooks, and periodicals, and all other
 16 necessary expenses, \$20,800.

17 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
 18 bia, \$294,400.

19 General expenses: For general expenses of the Office of
 20 Education, including lawbooks, books of reference, and
 21 periodicals; purchase, distribution, and exchange of educa-
 22 tional documents, motion-picture films, and lantern slides;
 23 collection, exchange, and cataloging of educational apparatus
 24 and appliances, articles of school furniture and models of

1 school buildings illustrative of foreign and domestic systems
2 and methods of education, and repairing the same, \$12,000.

3 The unexpended balance of the appropriation for loans
4 to students in technical and professional fields, 1943, is
5 hereby reappropriated and made available for the same pur-
6 poses and under the same conditions as provided in the
7 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act 1943, except
8 that such loans shall be made only to those students whose
9 technical or professional education can be completed in one
10 year, and of the sum reappropriated not to exceed \$54,000
11 shall be available for administrative expenses, including
12 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
13 purchase and exchange of equipment; printing and bind-
14 ing; travel expenses, including not to exceed \$1,200 for
15 actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per
16 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
17 serving while away from their homes, without other com-
18 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity
19 to the Commissioner of Education.

20 Vocational Rehabilitation

21 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled
22 in industry: For carrying out the provisions of the Act
23 entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational
24 rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise
25 and their return to civil employment", approved June 2,

1 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), as amended by the Act of June 5,
2 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31) and the Acts of June 9, 1930, and
3 June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31-40), section 531 (a)
4 of the Act of August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620) and section
5 508 (a) of the Act approved August 10, 1939 (53 Stat.
6 1381), \$3,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to
7 the States shall be computed in accordance with the Acts
8 approved June 2, 1920, June 5, 1924, June 9, 1930, June
9 30, 1932, August 14, 1935, and August 10, 1939, on the
10 basis of not to exceed \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year 1944.

11 Promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons dis-
12 abled in industry in Hawaii: For extending to the Territory
13 of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to pro-
14 vide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons
15 disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended
16 (29 U. S. C. 31-44), in accordance with the provisions of
17 the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain
18 laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924
19 (29 U. S. C. 45), \$5,000.

20 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
21 shall be available for actual transportation and not to exceed
22 \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of
23 persons serving, while away from their homes with-
24 out other compensation from the United States, in an

1 advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education, in an
2 amount not exceeding \$10,000.

3 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of disabled resi-
4 dents of the District of Columbia: For personal services,
5 printing and binding, travel and subsistence, and payment of
6 expenses of training, placement, and other phases of re-
7 habilitating disabled residents of the District of Columbia
8 under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide
9 for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the
10 District of Columbia", approved February 23, 1929 (45
11 Stat. 1260), as amended by the Act approved April 17,
12 1937 (50 Stat. 69), \$25,000.

13 Salaries and expenses, vocational rehabilitation: For
14 carrying out the provisions of section 6 of the Act entitled
15 "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabili-
16 tation of persons disabled in industry, and so forth", ap-
17 proved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), and the Acts of
18 June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), June 9, 1930, and June
19 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31, 40), August 14, 1935 (49 Stat.
20 620), and August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), and for carry-
21 ing out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to
22 authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by
23 blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the
24 blind, and for other purposes", approved June 20, 1936 (49
25 Stat. 1559, 1560), \$95,000.

Vocational Education

Further development of vocational education: For carrying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488-1490), \$14,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be computed on the basis of not to exceed \$14,483,000 for the fiscal year 1944, as authorized by the Act approved June 8, 1936.

For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924 (20 U. S. C. 29), \$30,000.

For extending to Puerto Rico the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to Puerto Rico", approved March 3, 1931 (20 U. S. C. 11-18; 29 U. S. C. 31-35; 20 U. S. C. 30), \$105,000.

Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions

1 of section 7 of the Act entitled “An Act to provide for the
2 promotion of vocational education, and so forth”, approved
3 February 23, 1917, as amended by the Act of October 6,
4 1917 (20 U. S. C. 15), and of section 4 of the Act entitled
5 “An Act to provide for the further development of vocational
6 education in the several States and Territories”, approved
7 June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488), \$362,680.

8 Education and Training, Defense Workers (National
9 Defense)

10 Payments to States, and so forth (national defense) :
11 For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public
12 agencies operating public educational facilities, and, where
13 hereinafter authorized, to vocational schools exempt from
14 taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue
15 Code, colleges and universities, for the furtherance of the
16 education and training of defense workers, through certifica-
17 tion from time to time, in accordance with regulations pro-
18 mulgated by the United States Commissioner of Education
19 (hereinafter referred to as the “Commissioner”) under the
20 supervision and direction of the Federal Security Adminis-
21 trator and approved by the President, by the Commissioner to
22 the Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or
23 the name of such school, college, or university to whom
24 payment is to be made. and the amount to be paid, such

1 payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the
2 General Accounting Office as follows:

3 (1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than col-
4 lege grade provided by such agencies in vocational schools,
5 including vocational schools exempt from taxation under
6 section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by such
7 vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by them and
8 approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include
9 only courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War
10 Manpower Commission as supplementary to employment in
11 occupations essential to the national defense, and types of
12 preemployment and refresher courses similarly approved for
13 workers preparing for such occupations and selected from the
14 public employment office registers, and for the cost of voca-
15 tional courses of types similarly approved of less than college
16 grade in private vocational schools (regardless of tax liabil-
17 ity) and in other private facilities where equipment for
18 training is available, including not to exceed \$5,000,000 for
19 payment to such agencies for rental of additional space and
20 for the acquisition by purchase, rental, gift, or otherwise of
21 new or used equipment found necessary by the Commissioner
22 for carrying out the approved plans, \$90,000,000.

23 (2) For the cost of short courses of college grade
24 provided by degree-granting colleges and universities pur-

1 suant to plans submitted by them and approved by the
2 Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses of types
3 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
4 sion designed to meet the shortage of engineers, chemists,
5 physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to
6 the national defense, and such plans may provide for regional
7 coordination of the defense training program of the partici-
8 pating colleges and universities, \$25,000,000: *Provided*,
9 That only colleges and universities which operate under char-
10 ters which exempt their educational property from taxation
11 and public degree-granting educational institutions shall be
12 eligible to receive funds herefrom: *Provided further*, That
13 not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any
14 school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase and
15 rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space
16 found by the Commissioner necessary to carry out its ap-
17 proved plan.

18 (3) For the cost of vocational courses in food produc-
19 tion and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and
20 farm-labor training of less than college grade designed to
21 give general preemployment mechanical training and to assist
22 in attaining the production goals for those farm commodities
23 designated from time to time in the food-for-freedom program
24 promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture
25 pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved

1 by the Commissioner, \$12,500,000, of which not to exceed
2 15 per centum shall be available for payment to such agen-
3 cies for purchase and rental of equipment and rental of space.

4 Visual aids for war training (national defense) : For all
5 necessary expenses of the Office of Education in procuring
6 and making available, for reproduction and use, visual aid
7 instructional units, consisting of motion-picture films, lantern
8 slides, slide films, and film loops, for training in occupations
9 essential to the war effort (each such occupation to be
10 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
11 sion), including personal services in the District of Columbia
12 and elsewhere; travel expenses; printing and binding,
13 \$2,000,000, of which amount not to exceed \$10,000 may
14 be transferred to appropriations for salaries and miscel-
15 laneous expenses of the War Manpower Commission:
16 *Provided*, That copies of slides and films shall be sold at a
17 price sufficient to pay the whole cost of production of such
18 slides and films.

19 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all
20 administrative expenses necessary to enable the Office
21 of Education to carry out the foregoing program of education
22 and training of defense workers, including personal services
23 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses,
24 printing and binding, and not to exceed \$10,000 for the pay-
25 ment of actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per

1 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
2 serving, while away from their homes, without other com-
3 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capac-
4 ity to the Commissioner, \$1,100,000: *Provided*, That
5 the Commissioner shall transmit to Congress quarterly
6 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, a report
7 of the defense training programs which operate under
8 his administration, as provided for in this Act, such reports
9 to show the distribution of Federal funds and activities by
10 States, types of programs, and numbers of persons trained.

11 In the selection of trainees under the provisions of
12 paragraph 1, no maximum age limit for trainees shall be
13 established.

14 No trainee under the appropriations provided for in the
15 foregoing paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 shall be discriminated
16 against because of sex, race, or color, and, where separate
17 schools are required by law for separate population groups,
18 to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable
19 provisions shall be made for facilities and training of like
20 quality.

21 Selection of trainees under the foregoing programs of
22 training shall be based upon the existing and anticipated
23 need for defense workers in occupations essential to the
24 national defense.

25 Not to exceed an aggregate of \$4,000 of the amount

1 appropriated in this title for traveling expenses may be used
2 for expenses of attendance at meetings of educational asso-
3 ciations and other organizations concerned with vocational
4 education.

5 All appropriations for vocational education under the
6 Office of Education in this Act shall be used exclusively
7 for vocational education purposes.

8 The commissioner may delegate to any officer in the
9 Office of Education any of his powers or duties hereunder.

10 PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

11 Division of Venereal Diseases: For the maintenance and
12 expenses of the Division of Venereal Diseases, established by
13 sections 3 and 4, chapter XV, of the Act approved July 9,
14 1918 (42 U. S. C. 24, 25), and for the purpose of carrying
15 out the provisions of the Act of May 24, 1938 (52 Stat.
16 439-440), including personal services in the District of
17 Columbia and elsewhere; items otherwise properly chargeable
18 to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses
19 for the Public Health Service; purchase of reports, docu-
20 ments, and other material for publication and of reprints
21 from State, city, and private publications; purchase (not
22 to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
23 senger-carrying automobiles for official use in field work.
24 \$12,367,000, of which not to exceed \$142,212 may be

1 transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, com-
2 missioned officers, Public Health Service".

3 Grants to States for public-health work: For the purpose
4 of assisting States, counties, health districts, and other politi-
5 cal subdivisions of the States in establishing and maintaining
6 adequate public-health services, including the training of
7 personnel for State and local health work, as authorized in
8 sections 601 and 602, title VI, of the Social Security Act,
9 approved August 14, 1935, as amended (49 Stat. 634),
10 \$11,000,000.

11 Training for nurses (national defense): For the cost,
12 including subsistence, including cash allowances to trainees
13 as provided by Public No. (H. R. 2664 Seventy-eighth
14 Congress), of refresher, student nurse and postgraduate nurs-
15 ing courses, including courses in midwifery, provided by pub-
16 lic agencies operating public educational facilities and by hos-
17 pitals and nursing schools in accordance with plans submitted
18 by them and approved by the Surgeon General of the Public
19 Health Service, at hospitals with recognized schools of nurs-
20 ing, and, where necessary, in the case of postgraduate courses
21 at other institutions, for approved persons who have been
22 licensed to practice as registered nurses under the laws of a
23 State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, \$3,500,000,
24 payment thereof to be made through certification from time
25 to time in accordance with regulations promulgated by the

1 Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service
2 under the supervision and direction of the Federal Security
3 Administrator and approved by the President, by said Sur-
4 geon General to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name
5 of such agency, nursing school, or hospital to whom payment
6 is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment
7 to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General
8 Accounting Office.

9 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all gen-
10 eral administrative expenses necessary to enable the Public
11 Health Service to carry out the foregoing program of nurs-
12 ing courses, including personal services in the District of
13 Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses, and printing
14 and binding, \$50,000.

15 Interstate quarantine service: For cooperation with
16 State and municipal health authorities in the prevention of
17 the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in interstate
18 traffic, including the purchase of one and maintenance,
19 repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles,
20 \$28,000.

21 Prevention of epidemics: To enable the President, in
22 case only of threatened or actual epidemic of infectious or
23 contagious disease, to aid State and local boards or otherwise
24 in his discretion, in preventing and suppressing the spread of
25 the same and in such emergency in the execution of any

1 quarantine laws which may be then in force, including the
2 maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying
3 automobiles, \$300,480.

4 Emergency health and sanitation activities (national
5 defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Surgeon
6 General of the Public Health Service to conduct independ-
7 ently or to assist State and local health authorities in health
8 and sanitation activities (1) in areas adjoining military and
9 naval reservations, (2) in areas where there are concentra-
10 tions of military and naval forces, (3) in areas adjoining
11 Government and private industrial plants engaged in defense
12 work, and (4) in private industrial plants engaged in defense
13 work, to provide emergency health and sanitation services
14 in Government industrial plants engaged in defense work and
15 in areas adjoining United States military and naval reserva-
16 tions outside the United States, and to perform the functions
17 of the Public Health Service under the facility security
18 program authorized by Executive Order Numbered 9165;
19 such expenses to include personal services in the District
20 of Columbia and elsewhere, maintenance and operation of
21 passenger-carrying automobiles, stationery, travel, printing
22 and binding, the purchase of oils, larvicides, and other diluents
23 without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, and
24 items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation
25 for miscellaneous and contingent expenses of the Public

1 Health Service, \$9,729,000, of which not to exceed \$53,686
2 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth,
3 commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

4 Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals: For
5 medical examinations, including the amount necessary for
6 the medical inspection of aliens, as required by section 16
7 of the Act of February 5, 1917 (8 U. S. C. 152), medical,
8 surgical, and hospital services and supplies, including pros-
9 thetic and orthopedic supplies to be furnished under regu-
10 lations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Se-
11 curity Agency for beneficiaries (other than patients of the
12 Veterans' Administration) of the Public Health Service and
13 persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
14 under the quarantine or immigration laws and regulations,
15 including necessary personnel and reserve commissioned of-
16 ficers of the Public Health Service, personal services in the
17 District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the furnishing
18 and laundering of white duck coats, trousers, smocks, aprons,
19 and caps to employees whose duties make necessary the
20 wearing of same, maintenance, minor repairs, equipment,
21 leases, fuel, lights, water, freight, transportation and travel,
22 the maintenance and operation of motortrucks and passenger
23 motor vehicles for use in field work and one for use in
24 the District of Columbia, purchase of ambulances, trans-

1 portation, care, maintenance, and treatment of lepers, includ-
2 ing transportation to their homes in the continental United
3 States of recovered indigent leper patients, court costs,
4 and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or
5 hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent
6 persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane,
7 and reasonable burial expenses (not exceeding \$100 for any
8 patient dying in hospital), \$10,510,700, of which sum not
9 to exceed \$88,700 shall be available for the furnishing by
10 the Public Health Service to and at the request of any
11 Federal department or independent establishment, including
12 Government-owned corporations, of coordinating and con-
13 sultative services with respect to methods and standards for
14 operating emergency health facilities in such department or
15 establishment, including in-service training of such emer-
16 gency health facility personnel, and for providing employees
17 of such agencies (1) tuberculosis and psychiatric examina-
18 tions and (2) health and nutrition instruction through lec-
19 tures and demonstrations, and for printing and binding and
20 travel expenses in connection therewith: *Provided*, That the
21 Immigration and Naturalization Service shall permit the
22 Public Health Service to use the hospitals at Ellis Island
23 Immigration Station for the care of Public Health Service
24 patients free of expense for physical upkeep, but with a
25 charge of actual cost of fuel, light, water, telephone, and

1 similar supplies and services, to be covered into the proper
 2 Immigration Service appropriations; and money collected
 3 by the Immigration Service on account of hospital expenses
 4 of persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
 5 under the immigration laws and regulations shall be covered
 6 into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts: *Provided further,*
 7 That no part of this sum shall be used for the quarantine
 8 service (except for persons detained in hospitals of the Public
 9 Health Service at points where no quarantine hospital facilities
 10 are available), the prevention of epidemics, or scientific
 11 work of the character provided for under other appropriations
 12 for the Public Health Service.

13 Division of mental hygiene: For carrying out the provisions
 14 of section 4 of the Act of June 14, 1930 (21
 15 U. S. C. 196, 225); for maintenance and operation of the
 16 United States Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington,
 17 Kentucky, and the United States Public Health Service
 18 Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, in accordance with the
 19 provisions of the Act of January 19, 1929 (21 U. S. C.
 20 221-237), including personal services in the District of
 21 Columbia (not to exceed \$23,982) and elsewhere; traveling
 22 expenses; firearms and ammunition; necessary supplies
 23 and equipment; reimbursement to the working capital fund
 24 for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities;
 25 subsistence and care of inmates; expenses incurred in pur-

1 suing and identifying escaped inmates, including rewards
2 for their capture; expenses of interment or transporting
3 remains of deceased inmates including the remains of persons
4 voluntarily admitted; purchase and exchange of farm prod-
5 ucts and livestock; lawbooks, books of reference, and not to
6 exceed \$100 for newspapers and periodicals; furnishing
7 and laundering of uniforms and other distinctive wearing
8 apparel necessary for employees in the performance of their
9 official duties; transportation and subsistence allowance when
10 necessary, within continental United States and under regula-
11 tions approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security
12 Agency, of persons voluntarily admitted and discharged
13 as cured; tobacco for inmates; purchase (not to exceed two),
14 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled
15 passenger-carrying vehicles, \$1,109,680, and the Surgeon
16 General is authorized to utilize Government-owned automo-
17 tive equipment in transporting, to and from school, children
18 of Public Health Service personnel on duty at the Public
19 Health Service hospitals at Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexing-
20 ton, Kentucky, who have quarters for themselves and their
21 families on the station reservations.

22 Foreign quarantine service: For maintenance and or-
23 dinary expenses of United States quarantine stations and sup-
24 plementary activities abroad, including personal services in
25 the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the maintenance,

1 repair, and operation of motortrucks and motor-propelled
2 passenger-carrying vehicles for official use in field work,
3 \$1,250,000.

4 National Institute of Health: For necessary expenses,
5 not appropriated for elsewhere, of the National Institute of
6 Health, its branches and field offices, including maintenance
7 of buildings; for regulating the propagation and sale of viruses,
8 serums, toxins, and analogous products, including arsphen-
9 mines and other organic arsenic compounds therapeutically
10 analogous thereto; for the preparation of curative and diag-
11 nostic products; and for carrying out the provisions of section
12 603 of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935,
13 and section 1 of the Act of August 14, 1912; such expenses
14 to include personal and other services in the District of
15 Columbia and elsewhere; the purchase, repair, and cleaning
16 of uniforms for the guard force; items otherwise properly
17 chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and con-
18 tingent expenses for the Public Health Service; the purchase
19 (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of
20 passenger-carrying automobiles; and the purchase of reprints
21 of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and
22 journals, \$2,025,020, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may
23 be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation
24 "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health
25 Service".

1 States Relations Division: For all necessary expenses
2 of the States Relations Division in connection with grants
3 to States under title VI of the Social Security Act, approved
4 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal and other
5 services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere and items
6 otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for mis-
7 cellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health
8 Service, and the maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
9 senger-carrying automobiles, \$306,800, of which not to ex-
10 ceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account
11 to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned
12 officers, Public Health Service".

13 National Cancer Institute: For carrying into effect the
14 provisions of section 7 (b) of the National Cancer Institute
15 Act, approved August 5, 1937, \$530,000, including the pur-
16 chase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published
17 in periodicals and journals.

18 Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth: For pay,
19 allowance, and commutation of quarters for not to exceed
20 568 regular active commissioned officers (including the Sur-
21 geon General, Assistant to the Surgeon General, and assistant
22 surgeons general) and for pay of regular commissioned offi-
23 cers on waiting orders, \$2,822,000: *Provided*, That the above
24 limitation on the number of regular active commissioned
25 officers may be exceeded by the number (not in excess of

1 thirty) of regular active commissioned officers assigned to
2 Federal penal and correctional institutions.

3 Salaries, Office of Surgeon General: For personal serv-
4 ices, \$450,000.

5 Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: For miscel-
6 laneous and contingent expenses necessary for the work of
7 the Public Health Service, including stationery supplies;
8 operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying
9 automobiles; contract stenographic reporting services; not
10 to exceed \$4,500 for the preparation of Public Health
11 exhibits, including personal services and the cost of acquir-
12 ing, transporting, and displaying exhibit materials; packing,
13 unpacking, crating, drayage, and transportation of personal
14 effects of commissioned officers on transfer from one official
15 station to another in the public interest when authorized by
16 the Surgeon General in the order directing such transfer;
17 not to exceed \$850 for lawbooks, books of reference, and
18 periodicals for the Office of the Surgeon General; nominal
19 compensation of collaborating epidemiologists and others;
20 and allowances for living quarters (not exceeding \$1,700
21 for any one person), including heat, fuel, and light, as author-
22 ized by the Act approved June 26, 1930 (5 U. S. C.
23 118a); \$195,000.

24 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
25 shall be available for preparation for shipment and trans-

1 portation to their former homes of remains of officers who
2 die in line of duty.

3 SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

4 Salaries and expenses: For support, clothing, and treat-
5 ment in Saint Elizabeths Hospital of persons who have be-
6 come insane since their entry into the armed forces of the
7 United States, insane beneficiaries of the United States Em-
8 ployees' Compensation Commission, and all other insane
9 persons whose admission to the hospital is authorized by law,
10 including not exceeding \$27,000 for maintenance, repair,
11 and operation of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles,
12 and not to exceed \$185,000 for repairs and improvements
13 to buildings and grounds, and not to exceed \$15,000 for
14 furnishing and laundering of such wearing apparel as may be
15 prescribed for employees in the performance of their official
16 duties, \$1,963,000, including cooperation with organizations
17 or individuals in scientific research into the nature, causes,
18 prevention, and treatment of mental illness, and including
19 maintenance and operation of necessary facilities for feeding
20 employees and others (at not less than cost), and the pro-
21 ceeds therefrom shall reimburse the appropriation for the
22 institution; and not exceeding \$1,500 of this sum may be
23 expended in the removal of patients to their friends; not ex-
24 ceeding \$1,500 for the purchase of such books, periodicals,
25 and newspapers as may be required for the purposes of the

1 hospital and for the medical library, and not exceeding
2 \$1,500 for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in
3 the apprehension and return to the hospital of escaped
4 patients: *Provided*, That so much of this sum as may be
5 required shall be available for all necessary expenses in ascer-
6 taining the residence of inmates who are not or who cease
7 to be properly chargeable to Federal maintenance in
8 the institution and in returning them to such places of resi-
9 dence: *Provided further*, That not exceeding \$200 additional
10 may be paid to two employees to provide mail facilities for
11 patients in the hospital: *Provided further*, That during the
12 fiscal year 1944 the District of Columbia, or any branch of
13 the Government requiring Saint Elizabeths Hospital to care
14 for patients for which they are responsible, shall pay by check
15 to the Superintendent upon his written request, either in ad-
16 vance or at the end of each month, all or part of the esti-
17 mated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may
18 be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Eliza-
19 beths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject
20 to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper ad-
21 justments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients
22 paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as
23 may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint
24 Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia govern-

1 ment, department, or establishments concerned. All sums
2 paid to the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital for
3 the care of patients that he is authorized by law to receive
4 shall be deposited to the credit on the books of the Treasury
5 Department of the appropriation made for the care and
6 maintenance of the patients at Saint Elizabeths Hospital for
7 the year in which the support, clothing, and treatment is
8 provided, and be subject to requisition upon the approval of
9 the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

10 SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

11 Grants to States for old-age assistance: For grants to
12 States for assistance to aged needy individuals, as authorized
13 in title I of the Social Security Act, approved August 14,
14 1935, as amended, \$325,000,000, of which sum such amount
15 as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such
16 title I for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to
17 March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the
18 fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in
19 the fiscal year 1944 under such title I may be made with
20 respect to any State plan approved under such title I by the
21 Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no
22 such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
23 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was sub-
24 mitted to the Board for approval.

25 Grants to States for aid to dependent children: For

1 grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to
2 furnish financial assistance to needy dependent children,
3 as authorized in title IV of the Social Security Act, ap-
4 proved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$65,000,000, of which
5 sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available
6 for grants under such title IV for any period in the fiscal
7 year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That
8 payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year
9 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such
10 title IV may be made with respect to any State plan ap-
11 proved under such title IV by the Social Security Board
12 prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be
13 made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the
14 quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for
15 approval.

16 Grants to States for aid to the blind: For grants to
17 States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish
18 financial assistance to needy individuals who are blind, as
19 authorized in title X of the Social Security Act, approved
20 August 14, 1935, as amended, \$9,000,000, of which sum
21 such amount as may be necessary shall be available for
22 grants under such title X for any period in the fiscal year
23 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That pay-
24 ments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943
25 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title X

1 may be made with respect to any State plan approved under
2 such title X by the Social Security Board prior to or during
3 such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect
4 to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such
5 plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

6 The appropriations herein made for "Grants to States
7 for old-age assistance", "Grants to States for aid to depend-
8 ent children", and "Grants to States for aid to the blind",
9 shall be available interchangeably for transfer of appropria-
10 tions, but no such transfer shall be made except upon approval
11 of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

12 Salaries, Bureau of Public Assistance: For personal
13 services in the Bureau of Public Assistance in the District
14 of Columbia and elsewhere, \$900,000.

15 Grants to States for unemployment compensation ad-
16 ministration: For grants to States for unemployment compen-
17 sation administration, as authorized in title III of the Social
18 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended,
19 including rentals in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
20 \$30,000,000, of which such amounts as may be agreed upon
21 by the Board and the Postmaster General, shall be used for
22 the payment, in such manner as said parties may jointly
23 determine, of postage for the transmission of official mail
24 matter in connection with the unemployment compensation
25 administration of States receiving grants herefrom.

1 Salaries, Bureau of Employment Security: For personal
2 services in the Bureau of Employment Security in the Dis-
3 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, \$750,000.

4 Salaries, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance:
5 For personal services in the Bureau of Old-Age and Sur-
6 vivors' Insurance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
7 \$17,000,000.

8 Salaries, Offices of the Social Security Board: For per-
9 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of
10 the Social Security Board and its several offices and bureaus,
11 not otherwise appropriated for herein, \$3,250,000, including
12 the salary of an executive director at the rate of \$9,500 per
13 year.

14 Miscellaneous expenses, Social Security Board: For all
15 expenses, not otherwise appropriated for, necessary to enable
16 the Social Security Board to carry into effect the provisions
17 of the Social Security Act as amended (42 U. S. C. 301-
18 1305), including public instruction and information, and the
19 procurement of information relating to the death of individuals
20 entitled to benefits, receiving benefits, or upon whose death
21 some other individual may become entitled to benefits, under
22 title II of said Act, from proper State and local officials,
23 including officials of the District of Columbia, Alaska, and
24 Hawaii or individuals designated by such State and local
25 officials, and as authorized by the Administrator for personal

1 services on a piece-work basis or otherwise in connection
2 with the procurement of such information without regard to
3 section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the provisions of
4 other laws applicable to the employment and compensation
5 of officers and employees of the United States, which ex-
6 penses shall include reproducing and photographic equip-
7 ment; periodicals; purchase and exchange of lawbooks and
8 books of reference; library membership fees or dues in or-
9 ganizations which issue publications to members only or to
10 members at a lower price than to others, payments for which
11 may be made in advance; alterations and repairs; purchase
12 (not exceeding three), operation, maintenance, and repair
13 of passenger-carrying automobiles; \$3,000,000.

14 If during the fiscal years 1943 or 1944 functions
15 are transferred by the Federal Security Administrator
16 from or between any of the said offices or bureaus, the
17 Administrator may transfer from or between the appropria-
18 tions herein made for salaries for the Social Security Board
19 the amounts necessary for personal services in connection
20 with the functions so transferred.

21 Not to exceed 5 per centum of any of the foregoing
22 appropriations for salaries for the Social Security Board may,
23 subject to the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the
24 Budget, be transferred by the Administrator to any other

1 of such appropriations, but no appropriation may be increased
2 more than 5 per centum thereby.

3 OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

4 Salaries, Office of the Administrator, \$143,000: *Pro-*
5 *vided*, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the
6 rate of \$12,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof
7 is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided*
8 *further*, That of the sum herein appropriated the Adminis-
9 trator may expend not to exceed \$2,500 for temporary em-
10 ployment of persons, by contract or otherwise, for special
11 services determined necessary by the Administrator, without
12 regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil-
13 service and classification laws.

14 Community war services: For all expenses necessary to
15 enable the Federal Security Administrator to carry out the
16 functions transferred from the Office of Defense Health and
17 Welfare Services by Executive Order Numbered 9338, dated
18 April 29, 1943, including personal services in the District of
19 Columbia and elsewhere; the temporary employment of per-
20 sons by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
21 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification
22 laws; acceptance and utilization of voluntary and uncom-
23 pensated services; printing and binding; maintenance, opera-
24 tion, and repair of passenger-carrying motor-propelled

1 vehicles; and traveling expenses, including expenses, when
2 specifically authorized by the Administrator, of attendance
3 at meetings concerned with the purposes of this appropria-
4 tion and payment of actual transportation and other necessary
5 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
6 sistence of persons serving while away from their homes
7 in an advisory capacity to the Administrator without other
8 compensation from the United States, \$1,670,000: *Provided*,
9 That the Administrator may transfer from this appropria-
10 tion to appropriations available to any unit of the Federal
11 Security Agency designated by him to perform any of the
12 functions and duties transferred by Executive Order
13 Numbered 9338 such sums as are necessary for the per-
14 formance of such functions and duties by such other unit.

15 Salaries, Division of Personnel Supervision and Manage-
16 ment, \$120,000.

17 Salaries, Chief Clerk's Division, \$280,000.

18 Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, \$531,380.

19 Miscellaneous expenses, Office of Administrator: For
20 miscellaneous expenses of the Office of the Administrator in
21 the District of Columbia and elsewhere (except printing and
22 binding); examination of estimates for appropriations in the
23 field; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, other books of
24 reference, and periodicals; library membership fees or dues in
25 organizations which issue publications to members only or to

1 members at a lower price than to others, payment for which
2 may be made in advance; and purchase, operation, maintenance,
3 nance, and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying
4 vehicles, \$75,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may
5 transfer to this appropriation from appropriations of the
6 constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency
7 such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of
8 duplicating materials required in performance of duplicating
9 work for such constituent organizations.

10 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
11 be available for the Office of the Administrator in an amount
12 not to exceed \$1,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings
13 or conventions concerned with the work of the Federal Security
14 Agency, when specifically authorized by the Federal
15 Security Administrator; and not to exceed \$1,000 for payment
16 of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10
17 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away
18 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
19 capacity to the Federal Security Agency.

20 Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency: For
21 traveling expenses (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the
22 Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and constituent
23 organizations thereof, including actual transportation
24 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence
25 and other expenses of persons serving, while away

1 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
2 capacity to the Federal Security Agency; expenses, when
3 specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator,
4 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
5 Federal Security Agency; and reimbursement, at not to
6 exceed 3 cents per mile, for travel performed by employees
7 of the Federal Security Agency in privately owned auto-
8 mobiles and within the limits of their official stations, when
9 engaged in the investigation of claims or the furnishing or
10 securing of information concerning claims or wage records
11 under title II of the Social Security Act, as amended (42
12 U. S. C. 401-409), \$1,620,000: *Provided*, That all receipts
13 from non-Federal agencies representing reimbursement for
14 subsistence and other expenses of travel of employees of the
15 Office of Education performing advisory functions to said
16 agencies shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United
17 States to the credit of this appropriation: *Provided further*,
18 That the Federal Security Administrator may hereafter dele-
19 gate to such officers and employees as he may designate for
20 the purpose all his authority in connection with the transfer
21 of personnel and household goods and effects from one official
22 station to another.

23 Printing and binding, Federal Security Agency: For
24 printing and binding (not appropriated for elsewhere) for

1 the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and
2 constituent organizations thereof, including the purchase of
3 reprints of scientific and technical articles published in peri-
4 odicals and journals, \$900,000, of which \$567,700 shall
5 be solely for printed forms, tabulating cards, and tabulating
6 forms in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

7 In order that the Administrator may effectuate reor-
8 ganization plans submitted and approved pursuant to the
9 Reorganization Act of 1939, he may transfer to the fore-
10 going appropriations under this title from funds available for
11 administrative expenses of the constituent units of the Fed-
12 eral Security Agency such sums as represent a consolidation
13 in the Office of the Administrator of any of the administrative
14 functions of said constituent units: *Provided*, That no such
15 transfer of funds shall be made unless the consolidation of
16 administrative functions will result in a reduction of adminis-
17 trative salary and other expenses and such reduction is ac-
18 companied by savings in funds appropriated to the Federal
19 Security Agency, which savings shall not be expended for
20 any other purpose but shall be impounded and returned to
21 the Treasury.

22 The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer
23 to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security
24 Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and print-
25 ing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts

1 as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred
2 shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suit-
3 able titles and shall be available for the same purposes and
4 subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from
5 which transferred: *Provided*, That balances of any amounts
6 so transferred, or any part of such balances shall, upon
7 request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appro-
8 priations for traveling expenses and printing and binding,
9 Federal Security Agency.

10 None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the
11 Social Security Board or to the Children's Bureau of the
12 Department of Labor for grants-in-aid of State agencies
13 to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said
14 agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and
15 employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said
16 agencies of any States which have established by legislative
17 enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social
18 Security Act and have in operation a merit system and
19 classification and compensation plan covering the selection,
20 tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, be-
21 cause of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner
22 of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the
23 rates of pay of said officers or employees.

24 This title may be cited as the "Federal Security Agency
25 Appropriation Act, 1944".

1 TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

2 COMMISSION

3 Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the Dis-
4 trict of Columbia, including not to exceed \$1,000 for tempo-
5 rary experts and assistants in the District of Columbia and
6 elsewhere, to be paid at a rate not exceeding \$8 per day, and
7 for personal services in the field; for furniture and other
8 equipment and repairs thereto; lawbooks, books of reference,
9 periodicals; stationery and supplies; traveling expenses; fees
10 and mileage of witnesses; contract stenographic reporting
11 services; rent in the District of Columbia for the administra-
12 tion of the Act of May 17, 1928 (45 Stat. 600) ; and miscel-
13 laneous items; \$837,000.

14 Salaries and expenses, military bases (national defense) :
15 For all necessary expenses of the Employees' Compensation
16 Commission in administering the Act of August 16, 1941 (55
17 Stat. 622), making applicable the Longshoremen's and
18 Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 U. S. C. 901) to
19 military, air, and naval bases outside continental United
20 States, including personal services in the District of Colum-
21 bia; lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; printing
22 and binding; fees and mileage of witnesses; stenographic
23 reporting services, by contract or otherwise; purchase,
24 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled or
25 horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles for use in the field;

1 \$25,000, together with the unexpended balance of appro-
2 priation for this purpose for the fiscal year 1943: *Provided,*
3 That section 3709, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to any
4 purchase or service outside continental United States when
5 the unit aggregate amount involved does not exceed \$500.

6 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
7 Employees' Compensation Commission, \$17,000.

8 Employees' compensation fund: For the payment of
9 compensation provided by "An Act to provide compensation
10 for employees of the United States suffering injuries while
11 in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes",
12 approved September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 785), including
13 medical examinations, traveling and other expenses, and loss
14 of wages payable to employees under sections 21 and 22; all
15 services, appliances, and supplies provided by section 9 as
16 amended, including payments to Army, Navy, and Veterans'
17 Administration hospitals; the transportation and burial ex-
18 penses provided by sections 9 and 11; and advancement of
19 costs for the enforcement of recoveries provided in sections
20 26 and 27 where necessary, accruing during the fiscal year
21 1944 or in prior fiscal years, \$6,850,000.

22 For the payment of compensation benefits (including
23 the advancement of costs for the enforcement of third party
24 recoveries, and payments to other Federal agencies for
25 medical and hospital services) authorized by the Act of

1 February 15, 1934 (5 U. S. C. 796), extending the Act
2 of September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 751), to persons render-
3 ing services as employees of the United States pursuant to
4 said Act of February 15, 1934, the Act of June 19, 1934
5 (48 Stat. 1056), and the several emergency relief and
6 National Youth Administration appropriation Acts and to
7 veterans and other persons included under title V of the
8 Act of June 29, 1936 (49 Stat. 2035), there is hereby
9 reappropriated the unexpended balance of the appropriation
10 "Employees' compensation fund emergency relief, 1943".
11 and of such special funds as have heretofore been established
12 in the Treasury pursuant to such Acts, of which \$435,820
13 shall be available for administrative expenses of the Em-
14 ployees' Compensation Commission of which latter sum not
15 to exceed \$75,000 may be added to the appropriation in
16 this Act for salaries and expenses, United States Employees'
17 Compensation Commission: *Provided*, That the Commission
18 shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment
19 and burial expenses, including transportation and other ex-
20 penses incidental to such services, treatment and burial, to
21 such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may
22 be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hos-
23 pital services and treatment at Government expense on
24 June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the
25 Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and

1 the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7,
2 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services.
3 treatment, and expenses.

4 This title may be cited as the "Employees' Compensation
5 Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

6 TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

7 Salaries: For three Board members of the National
8 Labor Relations Board and other personal services of the
9 Board in the District of Columbia and elsewhere necessary
10 in performing the duties imposed by law, \$1,415,000.

11 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
12 authorized and necessary expenditures, other than salaries,
13 of the National Labor Relations Board in performing duties
14 imposed by law or in pursuance of law, including repairs
15 and alterations; communication services; contract stenographic
16 reporting services; lawbooks; books of reference;
17 periodicals; and operation, maintenance, and repair of one
18 automobile, \$478,000.

19 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
20 the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and
21 elsewhere, \$220,000.

22 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
23 penses necessary to enable thte National Labor Relations
24 Board to perform the duties imposed upon it by law or in
25 pursuance of law in connection with disputes involving labor

1 in industries under the national defense program, including
 2 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
 3 and other items otherwise properly chargeable to appro-
 4 priations of the National Labor Relations Board for miscel-
 5 laneous expenses and printing and binding. \$600,000. No
 6 part of the funds appropriated in this title shall be used in
 7 any way in connection with a complaint case arising over
 8 an agreement between management and labor which has
 9 been in existence for three months or longer without com-
 10 plaint being filed.

11 This title may be cited as the "National Labor Relations
 12 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

13 TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

14 For three members of the Board, and for other author-
 15 ized expenditures of the National Mediation Board in per-
 16 forming the duties imposed by law, including contract steno-
 17 graphic reporting services; supplies and equipment; not
 18 to exceed \$200 for books of reference, and periodicals,
 19 \$184,500, of which amount not to exceed \$138,790 may be
 20 expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

21 Salaries and expenses, emergency panels, and so forth,
 22 National Mediation Board: For all necessary expenses of the
 23 National Railway Labor panel, including compensation of
 24 the members thereof at not to exceed \$50 per day and \$6

1 per diem in lieu of subsistence on such days as they are
2 actually engaged in performance of the duties of the panel;
3 travel expenses of members of the panel, including such
4 expenses to and from their homes or regular places of busi-
5 ness; printing and binding; contract stenographic reporting
6 services; and personal services in the District of Columbia
7 to enable the chairman of said panel to perform his functions
8 under Executive Order Numbered 9299, \$50,000.

9 Arbitration and emergency boards: To enable the
10 National Mediation Board to pay necessary expenses of
11 arbitration boards, and emergency boards appointed by the
12 President pursuant to section 10 of the Railway Labor Act
13 approved May 20, 1926 (45 U. S. C. 160), including com-
14 pensation of members and employees of such boards, together
15 with their necessary traveling expenses and expenses actu-
16 ally incurred for subsistence while so employed, and printing
17 of awards, together with proceedings and testimony relating
18 thereto, as authorized by the Railway Labor Act, including
19 also contract stenographic reporting service, and rent of
20 quarters when suitable quarters cannot be supplied in any
21 Federal building, the unexpended balance of previous ap-
22 propriations for these purposes shall be available.

23 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
24 the National Mediation Board, \$2,500.

1 NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

2 Salaries and expenses: For authorized expenditures of
3 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, in performing the
4 duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic re-
5 porting services and supplies and equipment, \$235,500, of
6 which \$62,500 shall be available only for compensation not
7 in excess of \$50 per day and expenses of referees, and not
8 more than \$118,680 for other personal services: *Provided*,
9 That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the fiscal
10 year 1944 to any person for services as referee.

11 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
12 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, \$17,500.

13 This title may be cited as the "National Mediation
14 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

15 TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

16 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
17 bia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed
18 by law, \$1,706,769.

19 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
20 necessary expenditures, other than salaries and printing and
21 binding, of the Railroad Retirement Board in performing
22 the duties imposed by law, including rent in the District
23 of Columbia and elsewhere; traveling expenses, including
24 not to exceed \$1,000 for expenses of attendance at meet-
25 ings concerned with the work of the Board when specifically

1 authorized by the Board; not to exceed \$2,500 for payment
2 of actual transportation and per diem (not to exceed \$10)
3 in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
4 serving while away from their homes without other com-
5 pensation in an advisory capacity to the Railroad Retire-
6 ment Board; repairs and alterations; contract stenographic
7 reporting services; other fees and compensation; sup-
8 plies and equipment (including photographic equipment);
9 not to exceed \$5,000 for lawbooks, books of reference,
10 periodicals, and for payment in advance when authorized
11 by the Board for library membership in organizations which
12 issue publications to members only or to members at a price
13 lower than to the general public; operation, maintenance,
14 and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles;
15 and expenses incident to moving the office of the Board
16 from one building to another, \$450,000.

17 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
18 Railroad Retirement Board, \$34,000.

19 Railroad retirement account: For an amount sufficient
20 as an annual premium for the payments required under the
21 Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, and
22 the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 24, 1937, and
23 authorized to be appropriated to the railroad retirement ac-
24 count established under section 15 (a) of the latter Act,
25 \$262,720,000, of which \$20,774,000 shall be immediately

1 available: *Provided*, That such total amount shall be avail-
 2 able until expended for making payments required under
 3 said retirement Acts, and the amount not required for current
 4 payments shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury
 5 in accordance with the provisions of said Railroad Retirement
 6 Act of June 24, 1937.

7 This title may be cited as the "Railroad Retirement
 8 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

9 TITLE VII—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESI-
 10 DENT—OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGE-
 11 MENT

12 WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

13 General administration: For all necessary expenses for
 14 the general administration of the War Manpower Commis-
 15 sion, including not to exceed \$10,000 for the employment of
 16 aliens, not to exceed \$160,000 for printing and binding.
 17 and not to exceed \$1,098,214 for travel expenses,
 18 \$9,994,800.

19 APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

20 Apprentice training service: For all expenses necessary
 21 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
 22 to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training,
 23 including printing and binding (not to exceed \$3,000),
 24 and travel expenses (not to exceed \$100,000), \$465,500.

1 Apprentice training service (national defense): For
2 all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War
3 Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging
4 apprentice training in national defense industries, including
5 printing and binding (not to exceed \$15,000), and travel
6 expenses (not to exceed \$161,000), \$550,000.

7 EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

8 Employment office facilities and services: For all neces-
9 sary expenses of the War Manpower Commission in connec-
10 tion with the operation and maintenance of employment
11 office facilities and services, and the performance of functions,
12 duties, and powers relating to employment service transferred
13 to the War Manpower Commission by Executive Order Num-
14 bered 9247, including the recruitment and placement of
15 individuals for work or training in occupations essential to
16 the war effort; such expenses to include contract janitorial
17 services, at not to exceed \$300 for any individual; reim-
18 bursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel
19 performed by employees in privately owned automobiles
20 within the limits of their official station; printing and bind-
21 ing (not to exceed \$265,000); travel expenses (not to ex-
22 ceed \$1,980,000); and rent in the District of Columbia:
23 *Provided*, That payment of salaries may be made to em-
24 ployees while taking annual and sick leave based upon
25 unused leave accrued under State regulations found by the

1 Social Security Board to conform to the requirements of
2 title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and on the
3 basis of State employment which had been financed in whole
4 or in part from grants under title III of said Act, including
5 payment for accrued leave to be substituted for leave without
6 pay taken between January 1, 1942, and June 30, 1942,
7 which payment shall not exceed in any case the amount
8 payable for such purposes under Federal laws with respect
9 to the maximum accumulation of such leave: *Provided fur-*
10 *ther*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
11 may transfer funds from this appropriation to the Social
12 Security Board for "grants to States for unemployment com-
13 pensation administration" as authorized in title III of the
14 Social Security Act, as amended, to meet costs incurred by
15 States in making available to the War Manpower Commis-
16 sion premises, equipment, supplies, facilities, and services,
17 needed by the Commission in the operation and maintenance
18 of employment office facilities and services, any sum so
19 transferred and not expended in accordance with this proviso
20 to be retransferred to this appropriation, \$45,500,000: *Pro-*
21 *vided further*, That pending the return to State control after
22 the war emergency of the Employment Service facilities,
23 property, and personnel loaned by the States to the United
24 States Employment Service, no portion of the sum herein
25 appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for

1 any salary, to any individual engaged in employment-service
2 duties in any position within any local or field or State office,
3 which substantially exceeds the salary which would apply to
4 such position and individual if the relevant State merit sys-
5 tem applied and if State operation of such office had con-
6 tinued without interruption: *Provided further*, That no por-
7 tion of the sum herein appropriated shall be expended by
8 any Federal agency for the salary of any person who is
9 engaged for more than half of the time, as determined by the
10 State director of unemployment compensation, in the admin-
11 istration of the State unemployment compensation act, includ-
12 ing claims taking but excluding registration for work.

13 NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

14 For all necessary expenses to enable the National Youth
15 Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the National
16 Youth Administration and the conservation and disposition
17 of all the property of whatever type (including buildings,
18 accessories, equipment, and machinery of all types), in use
19 by said National Youth Administration, including the per-
20 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
21 payment for accrued annual leave of employees separated
22 from the Government service due to the discontinuance of the
23 National Youth Administration operations, and such travel
24 and other necessary expenses as may be incurred in connec-
25 tion with the liquidation of the National Youth Administra-

1 tion from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made
2 to the National Youth Administration in the "Federal Se-
3 curity Agency Appropriation Act of 1943" not exceeding
4 \$3,000,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall be com-
5 pleted as quickly as possible, but in any event not later than
6 January 1, 1944.

7 SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

8 Salaries and expenses, Selective Service System, War
9 Manpower Commission: For all expenses necessary for the
10 operation and maintenance of the Selective Service System
11 as authorized by the Selective Training and Service Act of
12 1940 (50 U. S. C. App. 301) ; including not to exceed
13 \$640,000 for printing and binding; \$51,856,000: *Provided*,
14 That such amounts as may be necessary shall be available
15 for the planning, directing, and operation of a program of
16 work of national importance under civilian direction, either
17 independently or in cooperation with governmental or non-
18 governmental agencies, and the assignment and delivery
19 thereto of individuals found to be conscientiously opposed to
20 participation in work of the land or naval forces, which co-
21 operation with other agencies may include the furnishing of
22 funds to and acceptance of money, services, or other forms
23 of assistance from such nongovernmental agencies for the
24 more effectual accomplishment of the work; and including
25 also the pay and allowances of such individuals at rates not

1 in excess of those paid to persons inducted into the Army
2 under the Selective Service System, and such privileges as
3 are accorded such inductees: *Provided further*, That the
4 travel of persons engaged in the administration of the Selec-
5 tive Service System, including commissioned, warrant, or
6 enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or
7 their reserve components, may be ordered by the Director
8 or by such persons as he may authorize, and persons so trav-
9 eling shall be entitled to transportation and subsistence or
10 per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized by law:
11 *Provided further*, That the Director of Selective Service, in
12 prescribing per diem rates of allowance, not exceeding \$6,
13 in lieu of subsistence for officers of the Army, Navy, and
14 Marine Corps, and of the reserve components thereof, travel-
15 ing on official business and away from their designated posts
16 of duty, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 12 of the
17 Act approved June 16, 1942 (37 U. S. C. 112), is hereby
18 authorized to prescribe such per diem rates of allowance,
19 whether or not orders are given to such officers for travel to
20 be performed repeatedly between two or more places in the
21 same vicinity, and without regard to the length of time away
22 from their designated posts of duty under such orders.

23 TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

24 Training-within-industry service, War Manpower Com-
25 mission (national defense): For all expenses necessary

1 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
2 sion to promote and facilitate on-the-job training and
3 maximum utilization of workers by industries and activities
4 essential to the war by affording training to supervisory
5 personnel; including the temporary employment of persons
6 by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
7 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classifica-
8 tion laws; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per
9 mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately
10 owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations;
11 printing and binding (not to exceed \$50,000) ; and travel
12 expenses (not to exceed \$300,440) , \$1,686,000.

13 SEC. 702. The general provisions under the caption
14 "Executive Office of the President—Office for Emergency
15 Management", contained in the National War Agencies
16 Appropriation Act, 1944, and applicable to the constituent
17 agencies of the Office for Emergency Management con-
18 tained therein shall be applicable in the same manner to
19 the War Manpower Commission and the appropriations
20 therefor contained in this title.

21 SEC. 703. This title may be cited as the "War Man-
22 power Commission Appropriation Act, 1944."

23 TITLE VIII—GENERAL PROVISIONS

24 SEC. 801. No part of any appropriation contained in
25 this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any

1 position for which he or she has been nominated after the
2 Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said
3 person.

4 SEC. 802. No part of any appropriation contained in
5 this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any
6 person who advocates, or who is a member of an organi-
7 zation that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of
8 the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for
9 the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima
10 facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not
11 advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advo-
12 cates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States
13 by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person
14 who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that
15 advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United
16 States by force or violence and accepts employment the
17 salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation
18 contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon
19 conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or impris-
20 oned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*,
21 That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and
22 not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

23 SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training
24 of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available

1 for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after
2 cessation of hostilities in the present war.

3 SEC. 804. The appropriations and authority with respect
4 to appropriations contained herein shall be available from
5 and including July 1, 1943, for the purposes respectively
6 provided in such appropriations and authority. All obliga-
7 tions incurred during the period between June 30, 1943, and
8 the date of the enactment of this Act in anticipation of such
9 appropriations and authority are hereby ratified and con-
10 firmed if in accordance with the terms thereof.

11 SEC. 805. This Act may be cited as the "Labor-Federal
12 Security Appropriation Act, 1944".

Passed the House of Representatives June 16, 1943.

Attest:

SOUTH TRIMBLE,

Clerk.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

JUNE 18 (legislative day, May 24), 1943

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations



LABOR-FEDERAL SECURITY APPROPRIATION BILL, 1944

JUNE 24 (legislative day, MAY 24), 1943.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. McCARRAN, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 2935]

The Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2935) making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes, report the same to the Senate with various amendments and present herewith information relative to the changes made:

Amount of bill as passed House.....	\$1, 086, 059, 499
Amount of increase by Senate committee.....	52, 963, 311
Amount of bill as reported to Senate.....	1, 139, 022, 810
Amount of appropriations, 1943.....	1, 200, 656, 023
Amount of regular and supplemental estimates for 1944.....	1, 249, 031, 110
The bill as reported to the Senate—	
Under the estimates for 1944.....	110, 008, 300
Under the appropriations for 1943.....	61, 633, 213

The changes in the amounts of the House bill recommended by the committee are as follows:

INCREASES AND LIMITATIONS

Department of Labor—Title I:

Salaries and expenses, Working Conditions Service-----	\$700, 000
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The purpose of the Service and the appropriation is to inform and demonstrate to both labor and employers how industrial accidents may be prevented, how occupational illnesses may be prevented, how fatigue may be reduced, how employment may be stabilized, how absenteeism may be prevented, all by the working out of proper, practical working conditions. The request was based upon problems arising in the war industries which have interfered with the stepping up of production, particularly when inexperienced workers, women, older workers, and very young people are being introduced into industry in place of the regular working force of the country, many of whom are of military age. The problems dealt with in improving working conditions are such items as the appropriate and continued arrangement of shifts, a system of optimum hours of production in different plants and in different industries, provision of suitable eating facilities, provision of adequate sanitary facilities, the use of rest periods, techniques for overcoming the results of excessive heat, provision of suitable work clothing, selection of jobs and conditions best suited for women workers, prevention of labor turn-over, prevention of absenteeism, system of grievance machinery, and the organization of labor relations. Lost time and lowered morale and consequent interference with production have resulted in many instances from a neglect of these items, and the response to the suggestions offered by the Labor Standards Division has indicated that much can be accomplished.

Children's Bureau:

Salaries and expenses, child-labor provisions-----	53, 000
Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare---	28, 000

It is recommended by the committee that the following proviso be stricken from the bill:

Provided, That no part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation relating to care of obstetrical cases which discriminates between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

Grants to States for emergency maternal and infant care-----	800, 000
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Total, Children's Bureau -----	881, 000
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Total, Department of Labor-----	1, 581, 000
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Federal Security Agency—Title II:

Food and Drug Administration:	
Enforcement operations.....	123, 580
Administrative expenses.....	4, 400
Total Food and Drug Administration.....	127, 980

Howard University:

Salaries.....	6, 600
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Office of Education:

Loans to students:

It is recommended by the Committee that loans be restricted to students who received loans during the fiscal year 1943, that not more than 2,000 students may be assisted and that the entire program ended June 30, 1944.

Visual aids for war training:

The proviso in the House bill relative to the sale of slides and films is amended to read as follows:

: *Provided*, That copies of slides and films hereafter made shall be sold at a price sufficient to pay the whole cost of production of such slides and films

Public Health Service:

Training of nurses (net).....	\$41, 450, 000
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The amount in the House bill for training for nurses amounted to \$3,550,000. The committee has stricken from the bill the House language and inserted in lieu thereof the following paragraph:

Training for nurses (national defense): For carrying out the purposes of the Act of June 15, 1943 (Public Law 74, Seventy-eighth Congress), \$45,000,000, of which not to exceed \$650,000 shall be available for administrative expenses, including printing and binding; personal services in the District of Columbia; maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles; advertising in newspapers, magazines, and periodicals without regard to the Act of March 4, 1921 (42 U. S. C. 33); and items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health Service.

The amount recommended is not intended to reflect the full annual cost for fiscal year 1944 for meeting all the requirements of the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the training of nurses for the armed forces, governmental and civilian hospitals, health agencies, and war industries, through grants to institutions providing such training, and for other purposes," approved June 15, 1943. Due to the urgency of inaugurating the nurses training program to alleviate the present shortage of nurses and the lack of factual data based on experience from which to make a complete analysis, this amount is to provide sufficient funds to carry out the program of the Surgeon General, Public Health Service, until such time as a complete annual estimate can be compiled and a supplemental request for funds presented to provide for carrying the program throughout the remainder of the year.

Federal Security Agency—Title II.—Continued.**St. Elizabeths Hospital:**

It is recommended by the committee that the following language be stricken from the bill:

Superintendent upon his written request, either in advance or at the end of each month, all or part of the estimated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper adjustments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia government, department, or establishments concerned.

and insert the following:

Hospital monthly the actual cost of the care and maintenance of such patients, and bills rendered therefor by the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital, shall be subject to audit by the Auditor of the District of Columbia semiannually, or in the case of any Department or establishment concerned other than the District of Columbia, by the General Accounting Office.

Social Security Board:

Grants to States for Unemployment Compensation Administration.....

4, 000, 000

Withholding of Grants in Aid:

It is recommended by the committee that the following paragraph be stricken from the bill:

None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the Social Security Board or to the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor for grants-in-aid of State agencies to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said agencies of any States which have established by legislative enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Act and have in operation a merit system and classification and compensation plan covering the selection, tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, because of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the rates of pay of said officers or employees.

Total, Federal Security Agency.....

\$45, 584, 580
National Labor Relations Board—Title IV:

Salaries.....

300, 000

It is recommended by the committee that the following sentence be stricken from the bill:

No part of the funds appropriated in this title shall be used in any way in connection with a complaint case arising over an agreement between management and labor which has been in existence for three months or longer without complaint being filed.

National Mediation Board—Title V:**National Railroad Adjustment Board:**

It is recommended by the committee that the following proviso be stricken from the bill:

: *Provided*, That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the fiscal year 1944 to any person for services as referee

Railroad Retirement Board—Title VI:

Salaries.....	323, 231
Miscellaneous expenses.....	40, 000

Total, Railroad Retirement Board.....	363, 231
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War Manpower Commission—Title VII:

Apprentice Training Service:	
Expenses.....	34, 500
Apprentice Training Service (National defense):	
Expenses.....	100, 000
Employment Office Facilities and Services:	
Salaries and expenses.....	5, 000, 000

Total, War Manpower Commission.....	5, 134, 500
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Total increase.....	52, 963, 311
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Amount of bill as reported to Senate:

Labor Department.....	28, 906, 050
Federal Security Agency.....	718, 423, 960
U. S. Employees Compensation Commission.....	7, 729, 000
National Labor Relations Board.....	3, 013, 000
National Mediation Board.....	490, 000
Railroad Retirement Board.....	265, 274, 000
War Manpower Commission.....	115, 186, 800

Total.....	1, 139, 022, 810
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H. R. 2935

[Report No. 342]

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 18 (legislative day, MAY 24), 1943

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations

JUNE 24 (legislative day, MAY 24), 1943

Reported by Mr. McCARRAN, with amendments

[Omit the part struck through and insert the part printed in italic]

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money
4 in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Depart-
5 ment of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
6 independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30,
7 1944, namely:

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia, \$352,000.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and for other necessary expenses in the field, including contract stenographic reporting services, \$715,000.

Contingent expenses: For expenses of the offices and bureaus of the Department, for which appropriations for expenses are not specifically made, including the purchase of stationery, furniture, and repairs to the same, carpets, matting, oilcloths, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap, sponges, laundry, not exceeding \$1,000 for streetcar fares; purchase, maintenance, and repair of motorcycles and motortrucks; maintenance, operation, and repair of four motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; freight and express charges; commercial and labor-reporting services; postage to foreign countries, telegraph and telephone service; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, books of reference, newspapers, and periodicals and, when authorized by the Secretary of Labor, dues for library membership in societies or associations which issue publications to members only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members, not exceeding \$6,000; contract steno-

1 graphic services; and teletype service and tolls (not to
2 exceed \$1,100), \$166,550.

3 Traveling expenses: For traveling expenses under the
4 Department of Labor, including reimbursement to employees
5 of the Wage and Hour Division, at not to exceed 3 cents
6 per mile, for expenses of travel performed by them in pri-
7 vately owned automobiles within the limits of their official
8 stations in the field, \$1,092,000.

9 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
10 Department of Labor, \$263,500.

11 Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For
12 salaries and other expenses, including purchase and distribu-
13 tion of reports, and of material for informational exhibits,
14 in connection with the promotion of health, safety, employ-
15 ment stabilization, and amicable industrial relations for labor
16 and industry, \$146,000.

17 Salaries and expenses, Safety and Health Program (na-
18 tional defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the
19 Secretary of Labor to conduct a program of safety and health
20 among employees engaged in national-defense industries, in-
21 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia and
22 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to
23 the appropriations under the Department of Labor for con-
24 tingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
25 binding, \$150,000.

1 *Salaries and expenses, Working Conditions Service,*
 2 *Division of Labor Standards (national defense): For sal-*
 3 *aries and expenses necessary to provide for the extension of*
 4 *advisory service to labor and management in national defense*
 5 *industries in connection with the promotion of health, safety,*
 6 *employment stabilization, proper working conditions, and*
 7 *amicable industrial relations, including items otherwise prop-*
 8 *erly chargeable to the appropriations under the Department*
 9 *of Labor for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and*
 10 *printing and binding; and reimbursement to employees at not*
 11 *to exceed 3 cents per mile for expenses of official travel per-*
 12 *formed in privately owned automobiles within the limits of*
 13 *their official stations, \$700,000.*

14 The appropriation under this title for traveling expenses
 15 shall be available for expenses of attendance of cooperating
 16 officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the
 17 work of the Division of Labor Standards when called by the
 18 Division of Labor Standards with the written approval of the
 19 Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also in an amount
 20 not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings
 21 related to the work of the Division of Labor Standards when
 22 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

23 Commissioners of conciliation: For expenses necessary
 24 to enable the Secretary of Labor to exercise the authority
 25 vested in him by section 8 of the Act creating the Depart-

1 ment of Labor (5 U. S. C. 611), including newspapers, books
2 of reference, and periodicals; and not to exceed \$68,827 for
3 personal services in the District of Columbia, \$444,000.

4 Commissioners of Conciliation (national defense) : For
5 all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to
6 perform conciliation services in situations growing out of
7 employment in industries under the national defense pro-
8 gram, including personal services in the District of Columbia
9 and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly charge-
10 able to the appropriations under the Department of Labor
11 for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
12 binding, \$1,500,000.

13 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
14 shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for
15 expenses of attendance at meetings, conferences, or conven-
16 tions concerned with labor and industrial relations when
17 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

18 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

19 Salaries and expenses: For personal services including
20 temporary statistical clerks, stenographers, and typists in
21 the District of Columbia, and including also experts and
22 temporary assistants for field service outside of the District
23 of Columbia; purchase of periodicals, documents, envelopes,
24 price quotations, and reports and materials for reports and
25 bulletins of said Bureau, \$1,100,000, of which amount not

1 to exceed \$970,000 may be expended for the salary of the
2 Commissioner and other personal services in the District of
3 Columbia.

4 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
5 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000, for
6 expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work
7 of the Bureau of Labor Statistics when incurred on the
8 written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

9 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all ex-
10 penses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor, through
11 the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation to the national
12 security and defense, to perform the functions authorized by
13 the Act of June 13, 1888, and other Acts (29 U. S. C. 1) ;
14 to continue occupational outlook surveys throughout the
15 United States; and to conduct studies relative to problems
16 connected with labor likely to arise upon the termination
17 of the existing emergent conditions in connection with de-
18 fense activities throughout the United States, in cooperation
19 with the National Resources Planning Board; such expenses
20 to include personal services in the District of Columbia and
21 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable
22 to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for
23 contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
24 binding, and not to exceed \$15,000 for the temporary em-

1 ployment of experts without regard to the civil service and
 2 classification laws, \$1,162,000.

3 CHILDREN'S BUREAU

4 Salaries and expenses: For expenses of investigating and
 5 reporting upon matters pertaining to the welfare of children
 6 and child life, and especially to investigate the questions of
 7 infant mortality; personal services, including experts and
 8 temporary assistants; purchase of reports and material for
 9 the publications of the Children's Bureau and for reprints
 10 from State, city, and private publications for distribution
 11 when said reprints can be procured more cheaply than they
 12 can be printed by the Government, and other necessary
 13 expenses, \$324,000, of which amount not to exceed \$289,600
 14 may be expended for personal services in the District of
 15 Columbia.

16 Salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair
 17 Labor Standards Act: For all authorized and necessary
 18 expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties
 19 imposed upon it by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938,
 20 including personal services in the District of Columbia and
 21 elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books
 22 of reference, and periodicals; and reimbursement to State
 23 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
 24 as authorized by section 11 of said Act, ~~\$200,000~~ \$253,000.

MATERNAL AND CHILD WELFARE

Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare:

For all authorized and necessary administrative expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed upon it by title V of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal services, in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals, ~~\$350,000~~ \$378,000: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation relating to the care of obstetrical cases which discriminates between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.

Grants to States for maternal and child health services:

For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve services for promoting the health of mothers and children, as authorized in title V, part 1, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 701), as amended, \$5,820,000: *Provided*, That any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) shall not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections (a) and (b) of section 504 an amount expended or estimated to be expended by the State.

Grants to States for services for crippled children: For the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve

1 services for crippled children, as authorized in title V, part
 2 2, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935
 3 (42 U. S. C. 711), as amended, \$3,870,000.

4 Grants to States for child-welfare services: For grants
 5 to States for the purpose of enabling the United States,
 6 through the Children's Bureau, to cooperate with State
 7 public-welfare agencies in establishing, extending, and
 8 strengthening public-welfare services for the care of home-
 9 less or neglected children, or children in danger of becoming
 10 delinquent, as authorized in title V, part 3, of the Social
 11 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 721),
 12 as amended, \$1,510,000.

13 Grants to States for emergency maternity and infant
 14 care (national defense): For grants to States, including
 15 Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia,
 16 to provide, in addition to similar services otherwise avail-
 17 able, medical, nursing, and hospital maternity and infant
 18 care for wives and infants of enlisted men in the armed
 19 forces of the United States, under allotments by the Secre-
 20 tary of Labor and plans developed and administered by
 21 State health agencies and approved by the Chief of the
 22 Children's Bureau, ~~\$4,000,000~~ \$4,800,000.

23 In the administration of title V of the Social Security
 24 Act, as amended, for the fiscal year 1944, payments

1 to the States for any quarter of the fiscal year 1944
2 under parts 1, 2, and 3 may be made with respect to any
3 State plan approved under such respective parts by the Chief
4 of the Children's Bureau prior to or during such quarter, but
5 no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
6 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan is sub-
7 mitted to the Chief of the Children's Bureau for approval.

8 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
9 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$11,000, for
10 expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants
11 at conferences concerned with the administration of work of
12 the Children's Bureau under the Fair Labor Standards Act
13 and under title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security
14 Act, as amended, when called by the Children's Bureau with
15 the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be
16 available also, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000, for ex-
17 penses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the
18 Children's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
19 of the Secretary of Labor.

20 WOMEN'S BUREAU

21 Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions
22 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish in the Department
23 of Labor a bureau to be known as the Women's Bureau",
24 approved June 5, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 11-16), including

1 personal services in the District of Columbia; purchase of
2 material for reports and educational exhibits, \$160,000.

3 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
4 be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,500 for expenses
5 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
6 Women's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
7 of the Secretary of Labor.

8 WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

9 Salaries: For personal services for the Wage and Hour
10 Division necessary in performing the duties imposed by the
11 Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
12 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
13 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
14 (41 U. S. C. 38), including reimbursement to State, Fed-
15 eral, and local agencies and their employees for services
16 rendered, \$3,750,000, of which amount not to exceed
17 \$675,000 (exclusive of pay of members of industry com-
18 mittees) may be expended for departmental salaries.

19 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For
20 necessary expenses, other than salaries, of the Wage and
21 Hour Division in performing the duties imposed by the Fair
22 Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
23 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
24 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936

1 (41 U. S. C. 38), including stenographic reporting services
2 by contract or otherwise, purchase of one and maintenance,
3 repair, and operation outside the District of Columbia, of
4 three motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, lawbooks,
5 books of reference, periodicals, manuscripts and special re-
6 ports, newspapers, and reimbursement to State, Federal,
7 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
8 \$250,000.

9 The Secretary of Labor may allot or transfer, with
10 the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget,
11 funds from the foregoing appropriations for the Wage
12 and Hour Division to any other bureau or office of the
13 Department of Labor to enable such bureau or office to
14 perform services for the Wage and Hour Division.

15 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
16 be available in an amount not to exceed \$4,750 for expenses
17 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
18 Wage and Hour Division when incurred on the written
19 authority of the Secretary of Labor.

20 This title may be cited as the "Department of Labor
21 Appropriation Act, 1944".

22 TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

23 AMERICAN PRINTING HOUSE FOR THE BLIND

24 To enable the American Printing House for the Blind
25 more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the

1 education of the blind in accordance with the provisions of
2 the Act approved February 8, 1927 (20 U. S. C. 101),
3 \$115,000.

4 CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

5 For all necessary expenses to enable the Federal Se-
6 curity Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the
7 Civilian Conservation Corps and the conservation and dis-
8 position of all of the property of whatever type (including
9 camp buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of
10 all types) in use by said Corps, including personal services
11 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for
12 accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Gov-
13 ernment service due to the discontinuance of Corps operations;
14 and for such travel and other necessary expenses as may be
15 incurred in connection with liquidation of said Civilian Con-
16 servation Corps from the unexpended balances of the appro-
17 priations made to the Civilian Conservation Corps in the
18 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1942, not
19 exceeding \$20,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall
20 be completed as quickly as possible but in any event not
21 later than June 30, 1944: *Provided further*, That for the
22 purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the
23 Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved
24 June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and
25 effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liqui-

1 dation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator
2 shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such
3 Corps by such Act.

4 Notwithstanding the provisions of the Act of December
5 23, 1941 (Public Law 371), the Federal Security Adminin-
6 istrator is authorized, during the fiscal year 1944, to dispose
7 of any camp buildings, no longer needed for Civilian Con-
8 servation Corps purposes, and housekeeping and camp main-
9 tenance equipment necessary in connection therewith, by
10 transfer with or without reimbursement, to other Federal
11 agencies or, upon such terms as he may prescribe to any
12 State, county, municipality, or nonprofit organization for the
13 promotion of conservation, education, recreation, or health:
14 *Provided*, That, in the case of buildings located on land owned
15 by the United States, any such disposition shall be subject
16 to the approval of the agency of the United States having
17 jurisdiction of such lands: *And provided further*, That such
18 buildings and equipment shall first be tendered to the War
19 Department and Navy Department for use in prosecution of
20 the war, or the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which
21 Departments or agency shall have sixty days from the date
22 of notification of availability of such buildings and equipment
23 to accept such tender.

24 COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

25 For support of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf,

1 including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illus-
2 trative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements,
3 \$155,200.

4 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

5 For all necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
6 ministration in carrying out the investigations, including col-
7 lecting, reporting, and illustrating the results thereof, and
8 performing the functions required to carry into effect the
9 provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
10 (21 U. S. C. 301-392) ; the Act approved March 2, 1897,
11 entitled "An Act to prevent the importation of impure and
12 unwholesome tea" (21 U. S. C. 41-50) , which may here-
13 after be cited as the Tea Importation Act; the Act approved
14 February 15, 1927, to regulate the importation of milk and
15 cream into the United States, and so forth (21 U. S. C.
16 141-149) , which may hereafter be cited as the Import Milk
17 Act; the Federal Caustic Poison Act (15 U. S. C. 401-
18 411) ; and the Act approved May 4, 1923, entitled "An Act
19 to prohibit the shipment of filled milk in interstate or foreign
20 commerce" (21 U. S. C. 61-64) , which may hereafter be
21 cited as the Filled Milk Act; as follows:

22 Enforcement operations: To enable the Federal Security
23 Administrator to carry into effect the provisions of the above
24 statutes, including personal services in the District of Colum-
25 bia (not exceeding \$673,000) and elsewhere; purchase (not

1 to exceed ten), operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-
 2 propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles; pur-
 3 chase of chemicals, apparatus, and scientific equipment; con-
 4 tract stenographic reporting services; books of reference and
 5 periodicals. ~~\$2,200,000~~ \$2,323,580; and the Administrator.
 6 in carrying into effect the provisions of the Federal Food,
 7 Drug, and Cosmetic Act, is authorized hereafter to cooperate
 8 with associations and scientific societies in the revision of the
 9 United States Pharmacopoeia and in the development of
 10 methods of analysis and mechanical and physical tests neces-
 11 sary to carry out the work of the Food and Drug Adminis-
 12 tration and to pay the compensation and expenses of the
 13 members of the Board appointed under section 2 of the Tea
 14 Importation Act, and such compensation and expenses shall
 15 not be paid out of the appropriation for "Expenses of col-
 16 lecting the revenue from customs".

17 Salaries, sea-food inspectors: For salaries of sea-food
 18 inspectors designated in accordance with the provisions of
 19 section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act, as
 20 amended by the Act of August 27, 1935 (21 U. S. C.
 21 372a), which may hereafter be cited as section 702A of the
 22 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, \$40,000.

23 General administration: For general administration, in-
 24 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia,
 25 ~~\$90,000~~ \$94,400.

FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

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For officers and employees and compensation for all other professional and other services that may be required and expressly approved by the Federal Security Administrator, \$490,000.

Miscellaneous expenses: For subsistence; fuel and light, not exceeding \$500 for expenses of attendance upon meetings of a technical nature, pertaining to hospital administration and medical advancement, when authorized by the Federal Security Administrator; clothing to include white cotton or duck suits for the use of internes, and cotton or duck uniforms or aprons for cooks, maids, and attendants, and laundering thereof; rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage, medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments, electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, and furniture; maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying vehicles; not exceeding \$250 for the purchase of books, periodicals, and newspapers; not to exceed \$2,000 for the special instruction of student nurses; reimbursement to the appropriations of Howard University of actual cost of heat and light furnished, and other necessary expenses \$196,000: *Provided*, That there shall be transferred from this appropriation to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, public buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, Public

1 Buildings Administration” for direct expenditure by the
 2 Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations,
 3 improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds
 4 of Freedmen’s Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred
 5 from this appropriation to the appropriation “Traveling
 6 expenses, Federal Security Agency”, and that \$2,500 shall
 7 be transferred to the appropriation “Miscellaneous and
 8 contingent expenses, Public Health Service”: *Provided*
 9 *further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing
 10 appropriations for the Freedmen’s Hospital shall be charge-
 11 able to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner
 12 as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are
 13 paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time
 14 to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so
 15 that the portion of each of these appropriations charged
 16 to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to
 17 the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital
 18 days of service to persons who have resided in the District
 19 of Columbia for over one year on the day of admission bears
 20 to the total number of hospital days of service performed.

21 HOWARD UNIVERSITY

22 Salaries: For payment in full or in part of the salaries
 23 of the officers, professors, teachers, and other regular em-
 24 ployees of the university, the balance to be paid from
 25 privately contributed funds, ~~\$591,240~~ \$597,840.

1 Expenses, Howard University: For equipment, sup-
2 plies, apparatus, furniture, cases and shelving, stationery,
3 ice, repairs to buildings and grounds, and for other necessary
4 expenses of the university, \$156,000.

5 OFFICE OF EDUCATION

6 Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the
7 mechanic arts: For carrying out the provisions of section 22
8 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into
9 basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to pro-
10 vide for the further development of cooperative agricultural
11 extension work and the more complete endowment and
12 support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935
13 (49 Stat. 436), \$2,480,000.

14 Library service: For making surveys, studies, investiga-
15 tions, and reports regarding public, school, college, univer-
16 sity, and other libraries; fostering coordination of public and
17 school library service; coordinating library service on the
18 national level with other forms of adult education; developing
19 library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nation-
20 wide coordination of research materials among the more
21 scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the
22 development of public, school, and other library service
23 throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses
24 incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such
25 assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the Dis-

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 2 Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations,
 3 improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds
 4 of Freedmen’s Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred
 5 from this appropriation to the appropriation “Traveling
 6 expenses, Federal Security Agency”, and that \$2,500 shall
 7 be transferred to the appropriation “Miscellaneous and
 8 contingent expenses, Public Health Service”: *Provided*
 9 *further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing
 10 appropriations for the Freedmen’s Hospital shall be charge-
 11 able to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner
 12 as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are
 13 paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time
 14 to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so
 15 that the portion of each of these appropriations charged
 16 to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to
 17 the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital
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18 national level with other forms of adult education; developing
19 library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nation-
20 wide coordination of research materials among the more
21 scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the
22 development of public, school, and other library service
23 throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses
24 incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such
25 assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the Dis-

1 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, as the Commissioner of
2 Education may deem necessary, purchase of miscellaneous
3 supplies, equipment, stationery, postage on foreign mail,
4 books of reference, lawbooks, and periodicals, and all other
5 necessary expenses, \$20,800.

6 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
7 bia, \$294,400.

8 General expenses: For general expenses of the Office of
9 Education, including lawbooks, books of reference, and
10 periodicals; purchase, distribution, and exchange of educa-
11 tional documents, motion-picture films, and lantern slides;
12 collection, exchange, and cataloging of educational apparatus
13 and appliances, articles of school furniture and models of
14 school buildings illustrative of foreign and domestic systems
15 and methods of education, and repairing the same, \$12,000.

16 The unexpended balance of the appropriation for loans
17 to students in technical and professional fields, 1943, is
18 hereby reappropriated and made available for the same pur-
19 poses and under the same conditions as provided in the
20 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act 1943, except
21 that such loans shall be made only to those students ~~whose~~
22 ~~technical or professional education can be completed in one~~
23 ~~year~~ *who received loans during the fiscal year 1943*, and
24 of the sum reappropriated not to exceed \$54,000 shall
25 be available for administrative expenses, including personal

1. services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
 2 purchase and exchange of equipment; printing and bind-
 3 ing; travel expenses, including not to exceed \$1,200 for
 4 actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per
 5 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
 6 serving while away from their homes, without other com-
 7 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity
 8 to the Commissioner of Education: *Provided, That said un-*
 9 *expended balance shall be available for not more than two*
 10 *thousand students and that this program shall end June 30,*
 11 *1944.*

12 Vocational Rehabilitation

13 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled
 14 in industry: For carrying out the provisions of the Act
 15 entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational
 16 rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise
 17 and their return to civil employment", approved June 2,
 18 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), as amended by the Act of June 5,
 19 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31) and the Acts of June 9, 1930, and
 20 June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31-40), section 531 (a)
 21 of the Act of August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620) and section
 22 508 (a) of the Act approved August 10, 1939 (53 Stat.
 23 1381), \$3,200,000: *Provided, That the apportionment to*
 24 *the States shall be computed in accordance with the Acts*
 25 *approved June 2, 1920, June 5, 1924, June 9, 1930, June*

1 30, 1932, August 14, 1935, and August 10, 1939, on the
2 basis of not to exceed \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year 1944.

3 Promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons dis-
4 abled in industry in Hawaii: For extending to the Territory
5 of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to pro-
6 vide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons
7 disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended
8 (29 U. S. C. 31-44), in accordance with the provisions of
9 the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain
10 laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924
11 (29 U. S. C. 45), \$5,000.

12 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
13 shall be available for actual transportation and not to exceed
14 \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of
15 persons serving, while away from their homes with-
16 out other compensation from the United States, in an
17 advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education, in an
18 amount not exceeding \$10,000.

19 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of disabled resi-
20 dents of the District of Columbia: For personal services,
21 printing and binding, travel and subsistence, and payment of
22 expenses of training, placement, and other phases of re-
23 habilitating disabled residents of the District of Columbia
24 under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide

1 for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the
 2 District of Columbia", approved February 23, 1929 (45
 3 Stat. 1260), as amended by the Act approved April 17,
 4 1937 (50 Stat. 69), \$25,000.

5 Salaries and expenses, vocational rehabilitation: For
 6 carrying out the provisions of section 6 of the Act entitled
 7 "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabili-
 8 tation of persons disabled in industry, and so forth", ap-
 9 proved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), and the Acts of
 10 June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), June 9, 1930, and June
 11 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31, 40), August 14, 1935 (49 Stat.
 12 620), and August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), and for carry-
 13 ing out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to
 14 authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by
 15 blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the
 16 blind, and for other purposes", approved June 20, 1936 (49
 17 Stat. 1559, 1560), \$95,000.

18 Vocational Education

19 Further development of vocational education: For car-
 20 rying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act
 21 entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of
 22 vocational education in the several States and Territories",
 23 approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488-1490), \$14,200,000:
 24 *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be com-

puted on the basis of not to exceed \$14,483,000 for the fiscal year 1944, as authorized by the Act approved June 8, 1936.

For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924 (20 U. S. C. 29), \$30,000.

For extending to Puerto Rico the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to Puerto Rico", approved March 3, 1931 (20 U. S. C. 11-18; 29 U. S. C. 31-35; 20 U. S. C. 30), \$105,000.

Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions of section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917, as amended by the Act of October 6, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 15), and of section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488), \$362,680.

Education and Training, Defense Workers (National
Defense)

Payments to States, and so forth (national defense) :

For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public agencies operating public educational facilities, and, where hereinafter authorized, to vocational schools exempt from taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, colleges and universities, for the furtherance of the education and training of defense workers, through certification from time to time, in accordance with regulations promulgated by the United States Commissioner of Education (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") under the supervision and direction of the ~~Federal Security Administrator~~ *Chairman of the War Manpower Commission* and approved by the President, by the Commissioner to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or the name of such school, college, or university to whom payment is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General Accounting Office as follows:

(1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than college grade provided by such agencies in vocational schools, including vocational schools exempt from taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by such

1 vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by them and
2 approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include
3 only courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War
4 Manpower Commission as supplementary to employment in
5 occupations essential to the national defense, and types of
6 preemployment and refresher courses similarly approved for
7 workers preparing for such occupations and selected from the
8 public employment office registers, and for the cost of voca-
9 tional courses of types similarly approved of less than college
10 grade in private vocational schools (regardless of tax liabil-
11 ity) and in other private facilities where equipment for
12 training is available, including not to exceed \$5,000,000 for
13 payment to such agencies for rental of additional space and
14 for the acquisition by purchase, rental, gift, or otherwise of
15 new or used equipment found necessary by the Commissioner
16 for carrying out the approved plans, \$90,000,000.

17 (2) For the cost of short courses of college grade
18 provided by degree-granting colleges and universities pur-
19 suant to plans submitted by them and approved by the
20 Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses of types
21 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
22 sion designed to meet the shortage of engineers, chemists,
23 physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to
24 the national defense, and such plans may provide for regional
25 coordination of the defense training program of the partici-

1 pating colleges and universities, \$25,000,000: *Provided*,
 2 That only colleges and universities which operate under char-
 3 ters which exempt their educational property from taxation
 4 and public degree-granting educational institutions shall be
 5 eligible to receive funds herefrom: *Provided further*, That
 6 not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any
 7 school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase and
 8 rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space
 9 found by the Commissioner necessary to carry out its ap-
 10 proved plan.

11 (3) For the cost of vocational courses in food produc-
 12 tion and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and
 13 farm-labor training of less than college grade designed to
 14 give general preemployment mechanical training and to assist
 15 in attaining the production goals for those farm commodities
 16 designated from time to time in the food-for-freedom program
 17 promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture
 18 pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved
 19 by the Commissioner, \$12,500,000, of which not to exceed
 20 15 per centum shall be available for payment to such agen-
 21 cies for purchase and rental of equipment and rental of space.

22 Visual aids for war training (national defense) : For all
 23 necessary expenses of the Office of Education in procuring
 24 and making available, for reproduction and use, visual aid
 25 instructional units, consisting of motion-picture films, lantern

1 slides, slide films, and film loops, for training in occupations
2 essential to the war effort (each such occupation to be
3 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
4 sion), including personal services in the District of Columbia
5 and elsewhere; travel expenses; printing and binding,
6 \$2,000,000, of which amount not to exceed \$10,000 may
7 be transferred to appropriations for salaries and miscel-
8 laneous expenses of the War Manpower Commission:
9 *Provided*, That copies of slides and films *hereafter made*
10 shall be sold at a price sufficient to pay the whole cost of
11 production of such slides and films.

12 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all
13 administrative expenses necessary to enable the Office
14 of Education to carry out the foregoing program of education
15 and training of defense workers, including personal services
16 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses,
17 printing and binding, and not to exceed \$10,000 for the pay-
18 ment of actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per
19 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
20 serving, while away from their homes, without other com-
21 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capac-
22 ity to the Commissioner, \$1,100,000: *Provided*, That
23 the Commissioner shall transmit to Congress quarterly
24 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, a report
25 of the defense training programs which operate under

1 his administration, as provided for in this Act, such reports
2 to show the distribution of Federal funds and activities by
3 States, types of programs, and numbers of persons trained.

4 In the selection of trainees under the provisions of
5 paragraph 1, no maximum age limit for trainees shall be
6 established.

7 No trainee under the appropriations provided for in the
8 foregoing paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 shall be discriminated
9 against because of sex, race, or color, and, where separate
10 schools are required by law for separate population groups,
11 to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable
12 provisions shall be made for facilities and training of like
13 quality.

14 Selection of trainees under the foregoing programs of
15 training shall be based upon the existing and anticipated
16 need for defense workers in occupations essential to the
17 national defense.

18 Not to exceed an aggregate of \$4,000 of the amount
19 appropriated in this title for traveling expenses may be used
20 for expenses of attendance at meetings of educational asso-
21 ciations and other organizations concerned with vocational
22 education.

23 All appropriations for vocational education under the
24 Office of Education in this Act shall be used exclusively
25 for vocational education purposes.

1 The commissioner may delegate to any officer in the
2 Office of Education any of his powers or duties hereunder.

3 PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

4 Division of Venereal Diseases: For the maintenance and
5 expenses of the Division of Venereal Diseases, established by
6 sections 3 and 4, chapter XV, of the Act approved July 9,
7 1918 (42 U. S. C. 24, 25), and for the purpose of carrying
8 out the provisions of the Act of May 24, 1938 (52 Stat.
9 439-440), including personal services in the District of
10 Columbia and elsewhere; items otherwise properly chargeable
11 to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses
12 for the Public Health Service; purchase of reports, docu-
13 ments, and other material for publication and of reprints
14 from State, city, and private publications; purchase (not
15 to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
16 senger-carrying automobiles for official use in field work,
17 \$12,367,000, of which not to exceed \$142,212 may be
18 transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, com-
19 missioned officers, Public Health Service".

20 Grants to States for public-health work: For the purpose
21 of assisting States, counties, health districts, and other politi-
22 cal subdivisions of the States in establishing and maintaining
23 adequate public-health services, including the training of
24 personnel for State and local health work, as authorized in
25 sections 601 and 602, title VI, of the Social Security Act,

1 approved August 14, 1935, as amended (49 Stat. 634).
2 \$11,000,000.

3 Training for nurses (national defense): For the cost,
4 including subsistence, including cash allowances to trainees
5 as provided by Public No. (H. R. 2664 Seventy-eighth
6 Congress); of refresher, student nurse and postgraduate nursing
7 courses; including courses in midwifery, provided by public
8 agencies operating public educational facilities and by hospitals
9 and nursing schools in accordance with plans submitted
10 by them and approved by the Surgeon General of the Public
11 Health Service; at hospitals with recognized schools of nursing,
12 and, where necessary, in the case of postgraduate courses
13 at other institutions, for approved persons who have been
14 licensed to practice as registered nurses under the laws of a
15 State, Territory, or the District of Columbia; \$2,500,000;
16 payment thereof to be made through certification from time
17 to time in accordance with regulations promulgated by the
18 Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service
19 under the supervision and direction of the Federal Security
20 Administrator and approved by the President, by said Surgeon
21 General to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name
22 of such agency, nursing school, or hospital to whom payment
23 is to be made, and the amount to be paid; such payment
24 to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General
25 Accounting Office.

1 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all gen-
 2 eral administrative expenses necessary to enable the Public
 3 Health Service to carry out the foregoing program of nurs-
 4 ing courses, including personal services in the District of
 5 Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses, and printing
 6 and binding, \$50,000.

7 *Training for nurses (national defense): For carrying*
 8 *out the purposes of the Act of June 15, 1943 (Public Law*
 9 *74, Seventy-eighth Congress), \$45,000,000, of which not to*
 10 *exceed \$650,000 shall be available for administrative ex-*
 11 *penses, including printing and binding; personal services in*
 12 *the District of Columbia; maintenance, repair, and opera-*
 13 *tion of passenger-carrying automobiles; advertising in news-*
 14 *papers, magazines, and periodicals without regard to the*
 15 *Act of March 4, 1921 (42 U. S. C. 33); and items other-*
 16 *wise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscel-*
 17 *laneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health*
 18 *Service.*

19 Interstate quarantine service: For cooperation with
 20 State and municipal health authorities in the prevention of
 21 the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in interstate
 22 traffic, including the purchase of one and maintenance,
 23 repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles,
 24 \$28,000.

25 Prevention of epidemics: To enable the President, in

1 case only of threatened or actual epidemic of infectious or
2 contagious disease, to aid State and local boards or otherwise
3 in his discretion, in preventing and suppressing the spread of
4 the same and in such emergency in the execution of any
5 quarantine laws which may be then in force, including the
6 maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying
7 automobiles, \$300,480.

8 Emergency health and sanitation activities (national
9 defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Surgeon
10 General of the Public Health Service to conduct independ-
11 ently or to assist State and local health authorities in health
12 and sanitation activities (1) in areas adjoining military and
13 naval reservations, (2) in areas where there are concentra-
14 tions of military and naval forces, (3) in areas adjoining
15 Government and private industrial plants engaged in defense
16 work, and (4) in private industrial plants engaged in defense
17 work, to provide emergency health and sanitation services
18 in Government industrial plants engaged in defense work and
19 in areas adjoining United States military and naval reserva-
20 tions outside the United States, and to perform the functions
21 of the Public Health Service under the facility security
22 program authorized by Executive Order Numbered 9165;
23 such expenses to include personal services in the District
24 of Columbia and elsewhere, maintenance and operation of

1 passenger-carrying automobiles, stationery, travel, printing
2 and binding, the purchase of oils, larvicides, and other diluents
3 without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, and
4 items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation
5 for miscellaneous and contingent expenses of the Public
6 Health Service, \$9,729,000, of which not to exceed \$53,686
7 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth,
8 commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

9 Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals: For
10 medical examinations, including the amount necessary for
11 the medical inspection of aliens, as required by section 16
12 of the Act of February 5, 1917 (8 U. S. C. 152), medical,
13 surgical, and hospital services and supplies, including pros-
14 thetic and orthopedic supplies to be furnished under regu-
15 lations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Se-
16 curity Agency for beneficiaries (other than patients of the
17 Veterans' Administration) of the Public Health Service and
18 persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
19 under the quarantine or immigration laws and regulations,
20 including necessary personnel and reserve commissioned of-
21 ficers of the Public Health Service, personal services in the
22 District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the furnishing
23 and laundering of white duck coats, trousers, smocks, aprons,
24 and caps to employees whose duties make necessary the
25 wearing of same, maintenance, minor repairs, equipment,

1 leases, fuel, lights, water, freight, transportation and travel,
2 the maintenance and operation of motortrucks and passenger
3 motor vehicles for use in field work and one for use in
4 the District of Columbia, purchase of ambulances, trans-
5 portation, care, maintenance, and treatment of lepers, includ-
6 ing transportation to their homes in the continental United
7 States of recovered indigent leper patients, court costs,
8 and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or
9 hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent
10 persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane,
11 and reasonable burial expenses (not exceeding \$100 for any
12 patient dying in hospital), \$10,510,700, of which sum not
13 to exceed \$88,700 shall be available for the furnishing by
14 the Public Health Service to and at the request of any
15 Federal department or independent establishment, including
16 Government-owned corporations, of coordinating and con-
17 sultative services with respect to methods and standards for
18 operating emergency health facilities in such department or
19 establishment, including in-service training of such emer-
20 gency health facility personnel, and for providing employees
21 of such agencies (1) tuberculosis and psychiatric examina-
22 tions and (2) health and nutrition instruction through lec-
23 tures and demonstrations, and for printing and binding and
24 travel expenses in connection therewith: *Provided*, That the
25 Immigration and Naturalization Service shall permit the

1 Public Health Service to use the hospitals at Ellis Island
2 Immigration Station for the care of Public Health Service
3 patients free of expense for physical upkeep, but with a
4 charge of actual cost of fuel, light, water, telephone, and
5 similar supplies and services, to be covered into the proper
6 Immigration Service appropriations; and money collected
7 by the Immigration Service on account of hospital expenses
8 of persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
9 under the immigration laws and regulations shall be covered
10 into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts: *Provided further,*
11 That no part of this sum shall be used for the quarantine
12 service (except for persons detained in hospitals of the Public
13 Health Service at points where no quarantine hospital facili-
14 ties are available), the prevention of epidemics, or scientific
15 work of the character provided for under other appropria-
16 tions for the Public Health Service.

17 Division of mental hygiene: For carrying out the pro-
18 visions of section 4 of the Act of June 14, 1930 (21
19 U. S. C. 196, 225) ; for maintenance and operation of the
20 United States Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington,
21 Kentucky, and the United States Public Health Service
22 Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, in accordance with the
23 provisions of the Act of January 19, 1929 (21 U. S. C.
24 221-237), including personal services in the District of
25 Columbia (not to exceed \$23,982) and elsewhere; travel-

1 ing expenses; firearms and ammunition; necessary supplies
2 and equipment; reimbursement to the working capital fund
3 for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities;
4 subsistence and care of inmates; expenses incurred in pur-
5 suing and identifying escaped inmates, including rewards
6 for their capture; expenses of interment or transporting
7 remains of deceased inmates including the remains of persons
8 voluntarily admitted; purchase and exchange of farm prod-
9 ucts and livestock; lawbooks, books of reference, and not to
10 exceed \$100 for newspapers and periodicals; furnishing
11 and laundering of uniforms and other distinctive wearing
12 apparel necessary for employees in the performance of their
13 official duties; transportation and subsistence allowance when
14 necessary, within continental United States and under regula-
15 tions approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security
16 Agency, of persons voluntarily admitted and discharged
17 as cured; tobacco for inmates; purchase (not to exceed two),
18 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled
19 passenger-carrying vehicles, \$1,109,680, and the Surgeon
20 General is authorized to utilize Government-owned automo-
21 tive equipment in transporting, to and from school, children
22 of Public Health Service personnel on duty at the Public
23 Health Service hospitals at Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexing-
24 ton, Kentucky, who have quarters for themselves and their
25 families on the station reservations.

1 Foreign quarantine service: For maintenance and or-
2 dinary expenses of United States quarantine stations and sup-
3 plementary activities abroad, including personal services in
4 the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the maintenance,
5 repair, and operation of motortrucks and motor-propelled
6 passenger-carrying vehicles for official use in field work,
7 \$1,250,000.

8 National Institute of Health: For necessary expenses,
9 not appropriated for elsewhere, of the National Institute of
10 Health, its branches and field offices, including maintenance
11 of buildings; for regulating the propagation and sale of viruses,
12 serums, toxins, and analogous products, including arsphen-
13 mines and other organic arsenic compounds therapeutically
14 analogous thereto; for the preparation of curative and diag-
15 nostic products; and for carrying out the provisions of section
16 603 of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935,
17 and section 1 of the Act of August 14, 1912; such expenses
18 to include personal and other services in the District of
19 Columbia and elsewhere; the purchase, repair, and cleaning
20 of uniforms for the guard force; items otherwise properly
21 chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and con-
22 tingent expenses for the Public Health Service; the purchase
23 (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of
24 passenger-carrying automobiles; and the purchase of reprints
25 of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and

1 journals, \$2,025,020, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may
2 be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation
3 "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health
4 Service".

5 States Relations Division: For all necessary expenses
6 of the States Relations Division in connection with grants
7 to States under title VI of the Social Security Act, approved
8 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal and other
9 services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere and items
10 otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for mis-
11 cellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health
12 Service, and the maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
13 senger-carrying automobiles, \$306,800, of which not to ex-
14 ceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account
15 to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned
16 officers, Public Health Service".

17 National Cancer Institute: For carrying into effect the
18 provisions of section 7 (b) of the National Cancer Institute
19 Act, approved August 5, 1937, \$530,000, including the pur-
20 chase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published
21 in periodicals and journals.

22 Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth: For pay,
23 allowance, and commutation of quarters for not to exceed
24 568 regular active commissioned officers (including the Sur-
25 geon General, Assistant to the Surgeon General, and assistant

1 surgeons general) and for pay of regular commissioned offi-
2 cers on waiting orders, \$2,822,000: *Provided*, That the above
3 limitation on the number of regular active commissioned
4 officers may be exceeded by the number (not in excess of
5 thirty) of regular active commissioned officers assigned to
6 Federal penal and correctional institutions.

7 Salaries, Office of Surgeon General: For personal serv-
8 ices, \$450,000.

9 Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: For miscel-
10 laneous and contingent expenses necessary for the work of
11 the Public Health Service, including stationery supplies;
12 operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying
13 automobiles; contract stenographic reporting services; not
14 to exceed \$4,500 for the preparation of Public Health
15 exhibits, including personal services and the cost of acquir-
16 ing, transporting, and displaying exhibit materials; packing,
17 unpacking, crating, drayage, and transportation of personal
18 effects of commissioned officers on transfer from one official
19 station to another in the public interest when authorized by
20 the Surgeon General in the order directing such transfer;
21 not to exceed \$850 for lawbooks, books of reference, and
22 periodicals for the Office of the Surgeon General; nominal
23 compensation of collaborating epidemiologists and others;
24 and allowances for living quarters (not exceeding \$1,700
25 for any one person), including heat, fuel, and light, as author-

1 ized by the Act approved June 26, 1930 (5 U. S. C.
2 118a) ; \$195,000.

3 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
4 shall be available for preparation for shipment and trans-
5 portation to their former homes of remains of officers who
6 die in line of duty.

7 SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL.

8 Salaries and expenses: For support, clothing, and treat-
9 ment in Saint Elizabeths Hospital of persons who have be-
10 come insane since their entry into the armed forces of the
11 United States, insane beneficiaries of the United States Em-
12 ployees' Compensation Commission, and all other insane
13 persons whose admission to the hospital is authorized by law,
14 including not exceeding \$27,000 for maintenance, repair,
15 and operation of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles,
16 and not to exceed \$185,000 for repairs and improvements
17 to buildings and grounds, and not to exceed \$15,000 for
18 furnishing and laundering of such wearing apparel as may be
19 prescribed for employees in the performance of their official
20 duties, \$1,963,000, including cooperation with organizations
21 or individuals in scientific research into the nature, causes,
22 prevention, and treatment of mental illness, and including
23 maintenance and operation of necessary facilities for feeding
24 employees and others (at not less than cost), and the pro-

ceeds therefrom shall reimburse the appropriation for the institution; and not exceeding \$1,500 of this sum may be expended in the removal of patients to their friends; not exceeding \$1,500 for the purchase of such books, periodicals, and newspapers as may be required for the purposes of the hospital and for the medical library, and not exceeding \$1,500 for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the apprehension and return to the hospital of escaped patients: *Provided*, That so much of this sum as may be required shall be available for all necessary expenses in ascertaining the residence of inmates who are not or who cease to be properly chargeable to Federal maintenance in the institution and in returning them to such places of residence: *Provided further*, That not exceeding \$200 additional may be paid to two employees to provide mail facilities for patients in the hospital: *Provided further*, That during the fiscal year 1944 the District of Columbia, or any branch of the Government requiring Saint Elizabeths Hospital to care for patients for which they are responsible, shall pay by check to the Superintendent upon his written request, either in advance or at the end of each month, all or part of the estimated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper ad-

1 justments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients
2 paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as
3 may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint
4 Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia govern-
5 ment, department, or establishments concerned hospital
6 monthly the actual cost of the care and maintenance of such
7 patients, and bills rendered therefor by the Superintendent
8 of Saint Elizabeths Hospital, shall be subject to audit by the
9 auditor of the District of Columbia semiannually, or in the
10 case of any department or establishment concerned other than
11 the District of Columbia, by the General Accounting Office.
12 All sums paid to the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hos-
13 pital for the care of patients that he is authorized by law to
14 receive shall be deposited to the credit on the books of the
15 Treasury Department of the appropriation made for the care
16 and maintenance of the patients at Saint Elizabeths Hospital
17 for the year in which the support, clothing, and treatment is
18 provided, and be subject to requisition upon the approval of
19 the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

20 SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

21 Grants to States for old-age assistance: For grants to
22 States for assistance to aged needy individuals, as authorized
23 in title I of the Social Security Act, approved August 14,
24 1935, as amended, \$325,000,000, of which sum such amount
25 as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such

1 title I for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to
2 March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the
3 fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in
4 the fiscal year 1944 under such title I may be made with
5 respect to any State plan approved under such title I by the
6 Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no
7 such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
8 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was sub-
9 mitted to the Board for approval.

10 Grants to States for aid to dependent children: For
11 grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to
12 furnish financial assistance to needy dependent children,
13 as authorized in title IV of the Social Security Act, ap-
14 proved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$65,000,000, of which
15 sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available
16 for grants under such title IV for any period in the fiscal
17 year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That
18 payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year
19 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such
20 title IV may be made with respect to any State plan ap-
21 proved under such title IV by the Social Security Board
22 prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be
23 made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the
24 quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for
25 approval.

1 Grants to States for aid to the blind: For grants to
2 States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish
3 financial assistance to needy individuals who are blind, as
4 authorized in title X of the Social Security Act, approved
5 August 14, 1935, as amended, \$9,000,000, of which sum
6 such amount as may be necessary shall be available for
7 grants under such title X for any period in the fiscal year
8 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That pay-
9 ments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943
10 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title X
11 may be made with respect to any State plan approved under
12 such title X by the Social Security Board prior to or during
13 such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect
14 to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such
15 plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

16 The appropriations herein made for "Grants to States
17 for old-age assistance", "Grants to States for aid to depend-
18 ent children", and "Grants to States for aid to the blind",
19 shall be available interchangeably for transfer of appropria-
20 tions, but no such transfer shall be made except upon approval
21 of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

22 Salaries, Bureau of Public Assistance: For personal
23 services in the Bureau of Public Assistance in the District
24 of Columbia and elsewhere, \$900,000.

25 Grants to States for unemployment compensation ad-

1 ministration: For grants to States for unemployment compen-
2 sation administration, as authorized in title III of the Social
3 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended,
4 including rentals in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
5 ~~\$30,000,000~~ \$34,000,000, of which such amounts as
6 may be agreed upon by the Board and the Postmaster Gen-
7 eral, shall be used for the payment, in such manner as said
8 parties may jointly determine, of postage for the transmission
9 of official mail matter in connection with the unemployment
10 compensation administration of States receiving grants here-
11 from.

12 Salaries, Bureau of Employment Security: For personal
13 services in the Bureau of Employment Security in the Dis-
14 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, \$750,000.

15 Salaries, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance:
16 For personal services in the Bureau of Old-Age and Sur-
17 vivors' Insurance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
18 \$17,000,000.

19 Salaries, Offices of the Social Security Board: For per-
20 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of
21 the Social Security Board and its several offices and bureaus,
22 not otherwise appropriated for herein, \$3,250,000, including
23 the salary of an executive director at the rate of \$9,500 per
24 year.

25 Miscellaneous expenses, Social Security Board: For all

1 expenses, not otherwise appropriated for, necessary to enable
2 the Social Security Board to carry into effect the provisions
3 of the Social Security Act as amended (42 U. S. C. 301-
4 1305), including public instruction and information, and the
5 procurement of information relating to the death of individuals
6 entitled to benefits, receiving benefits, or upon whose death
7 some other individual may become entitled to benefits, under
8 title II of said Act, from proper State and local officials,
9 including officials of the District of Columbia, Alaska, and
10 Hawaii or individuals designated by such State and local
11 officials, and as authorized by the Administrator for personal
12 services on a piece-work basis or otherwise in connection
13 with the procurement of such information without regard to
14 section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the provisions of
15 other laws applicable to the employment and compensation
16 of officers and employees of the United States, which ex-
17 penses shall include reproducing and photographic equip-
18 ment; periodicals; purchase and exchange of lawbooks and
19 books of reference; library membership fees or dues in or-
20 ganizations which issue publications to members only or to
21 members at a lower price than to others, payments for which
22 may be made in advance; alterations and repairs; purchase
23 (not exceeding three), operation, maintenance, and repair
24 of passenger-carrying automobiles; \$3,000,000.

25 If during the fiscal years 1943 or 1944 functions

1 are transferred by the Federal Security Administrator
2 from or between any of the said offices or bureaus, the
3 Administrator may transfer from or between the appropria-
4 tions herein made for salaries for the Social Security Board
5 the amounts necessary for personal services in connection
6 with the functions so transferred.

7 Not to exceed 5 per centum of any of the foregoing
8 appropriations for salaries for the Social Security Board may,
9 subject to the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the
10 Budget, be transferred by the Administrator to any other
11 of such appropriations, but no appropriation may be increased
12 more than 5 per centum thereby.

13 OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

14 Salaries, Office of the Administrator, \$143,000: *Pro-*
15 *vided*, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the
16 rate of \$12,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof
17 is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided*
18 *further*, That of the sum herein appropriated the Adminis-
19 trator may expend not to exceed \$2,500 for temporary em-
20 ployment of persons, by contract or otherwise, for special
21 services determined necessary by the Administrator, without
22 regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil-
23 service and classification laws.

24 Community war services: For all expenses necessary to
25 enable the Federal Security Administrator to carry out the

1 functions transferred from the Office of Defense Health and
2 Welfare Services by Executive Order Numbered 9338, dated
3 April 29, 1943, including personal services in the District of
4 Columbia and elsewhere; the temporary employment of per-
5 sons by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
6 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification
7 laws; acceptance and utilization of voluntary and uncom-
8 pensated services; printing and binding; maintenance, opera-
9 tion, and repair of passenger-carrying motor-propelled
10 vehicles; and traveling expenses, including expenses, when
11 specifically authorized by the Administrator, of attendance
12 at meetings concerned with the purposes of this appropria-
13 tion and payment of actual transportation and other necessary
14 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
15 sistence of persons serving while away from their homes
16 in an advisory capacity to the Administrator without other
17 compensation from the United States, \$1,670,000: *Provided*,
18 That the Administrator may transfer from this appropria-
19 tion to appropriations available to any unit of the Federal
20 Security Agency designated by him to perform any of the
21 functions and duties transferred by Executive Order
22 Numbered 9338 such sums as are necessary for the per-
23 formance of such functions and duties by such other unit.

24 Salaries, Division of Personnel Supervision and Manage-
25 ment, \$120,000.

1 Salaries, Chief Clerk's Division, \$280,000.

2 Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, \$531,380.

3 Miscellaneous expenses, Office of Administrator: For
4 miscellaneous expenses of the Office of the Administrator in
5 the District of Columbia and elsewhere (except printing and
6 binding) ; examination of estimates for appropriations in the
7 field; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, other books of
8 reference, and periodicals; library membership fees or dues in
9 organizations which issue publications to members only or to
10 members at a lower price than to others, payment for which
11 may be made in advance; and purchase, operation, maintenance,
12 and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying
13 vehicles, \$75,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may
14 transfer to this appropriation from appropriations of the
15 constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency
16 such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of
17 duplicating materials required in performance of duplicating
18 work for such constituent organizations.

19 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
20 be available for the Office of the Administrator in an amount
21 not to exceed \$1,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings
22 or conventions concerned with the work of the Federal Security
23 Agency, when specifically authorized by the Federal
24 Security Administrator; and not to exceed \$1,000 for payment
25 of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10

1 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away
2 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
3 capacity to the Federal Security Agency.

4 Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency: For
5 traveling expenses (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the
6 Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and con-
7 stituent organizations thereof, including actual transportation
8 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
9 sistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away
10 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
11 capacity to the Federal Security Agency; expenses, when
12 specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator,
13 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
14 Federal Security Agency; and reimbursement, at not to
15 exceed 3 cents per mile, for travel performed by employees
16 of the Federal Security Agency in privately owned auto-
17 mobiles and within the limits of their official stations, when
18 engaged in the investigation of claims or the furnishing or
19 securing of information concerning claims or wage records
20 under title II of the Social Security Act, as amended (42
21 U. S. C. 401-409), \$1,620,000: *Provided*, That all receipts
22 from non-Federal agencies representing reimbursement for
23 subsistence and other expenses of travel of employees of the
24 Office of Education performing advisory functions to said
25 agencies shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United

1 States to the credit of this appropriation: *Provided further,*
2 That the Federal Security Administrator may hereafter dele-
3 gate to such officers and employees as he may designate for
4 the purpose all his authority in connection with the transfer
5 of personnel and household goods and effects from one official
6 station to another.

7 Printing and binding, Federal Security Agency: For
8 printing and binding (not appropriated for elsewhere) for
9 the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and
10 constituent organizations thereof, including the purchase of
11 reprints of scientific and technical articles published in peri-
12 odicals and journals, \$900,000, of which \$567,700 shall
13 be solely for printed forms, tabulating cards, and tabulating
14 forms in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

15 In order that the Administrator may effectuate reor-
16 ganization plans submitted and approved pursuant to the
17 Reorganization Act of 1939, he may transfer to the fore-
18 going appropriations under this title from funds available for
19 administrative expenses of the constituent units of the Fed-
20 eral Security Agency such sums as represent a consolidation
21 in the Office of the Administrator of any of the administrative
22 functions of said constituent units: *Provided,* That no such
23 transfer of funds shall be made unless the consolidation of
24 administrative functions will result in a reduction of adminis-
25 trative salary and other expenses and such reduction is ac-

1 complicated by savings in funds appropriated to the Federal
2 Security Agency, which savings shall not be expended for
3 any other purpose but shall be impounded and returned to
4 the Treasury.

5 The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer
6 to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security
7 Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and print-
8 ing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts
9 as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred
10 shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suit-
11 able titles and shall be available for the same purposes and
12 subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from
13 which transferred: *Provided*, That balances of any amounts
14 so transferred, or any part of such balances shall, upon
15 request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appro-
16 priations for traveling expenses and printing and binding,
17 Federal Security Agency.

18 None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the
19 Social Security Board or to the Children's Bureau of the
20 Department of Labor for grants-in-aid of State agencies
21 to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said
22 agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and
23 employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said
24 agencies of any States which have established by legislative
25 enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social

1 Security Act and have in operation a merit system and
 2 classification and compensation plan covering the selection,
 3 tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, be-
 4 cause of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner
 5 of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the
 6 rates of pay of said officers or employees.

7 This title may be cited as the "Federal Security Agency
 8 Appropriation Act, 1944".

9 TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION

10 COMMISSION

11 Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the Dis-
 12 trict of Columbia, including not to exceed \$1,000 for tempo-
 13 rary experts and assistants in the District of Columbia and
 14 elsewhere, to be paid at a rate not exceeding \$8 per day, and
 15 for personal services in the field; for furniture and other
 16 equipment and repairs thereto; lawbooks, books of reference,
 17 periodicals; stationery and supplies; traveling expenses; fees
 18 and mileage of witnesses; contract stenographic reporting
 19 services; rent in the District of Columbia for the administra-
 20 tion of the Act of May 17, 1928 (45 Stat. 600) ; and miscel-
 21 laneous items; \$837,000.

22 Salaries and expenses, military bases (national defense) :
 23 For all necessary expenses of the Employees' Compensation
 24 Commission in administering the Act of August 16, 1941 (55
 25 Stat. 622), making applicable the Longshoremen's and

1 Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 U. S. C. 901) to
2 military, air, and naval bases outside continental United
3 States, including personal services in the District of Colum-
4 bia; lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; printing
5 and binding; fees and mileage of witnesses; stenographic
6 reporting services, by contract or otherwise; purchase,
7 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled or
8 horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles for use in the field;
9 \$25,000, together with the unexpended balance of appro-
10 priation for this purpose for the fiscal year 1943: *Provided,*
11 That section 3709, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to any
12 purchase or service outside continental United States when
13 the unit aggregate amount involved does not exceed \$500.

14 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
15 Employees' Compensation Commission, \$17,000.

16 Employees' compensation fund: For the payment of
17 compensation provided by "An Act to provide compensation
18 for employees of the United States suffering injuries while
19 in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes",
20 approved September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 785), including
21 medical examinations, traveling and other expenses, and loss
22 of wages payable to employees under sections 21 and 22; all
23 services, appliances, and supplies provided by section 9 as
24 amended, including payments to Army, Navy, and Veterans'
25 Administration hospitals; the transportation and burial ex-

1 penses provided by sections 9 and 11; and advancement of
2 costs for the enforcement of recoveries provided in sections
3 26 and 27 where necessary, accruing during the fiscal year
4 1944 or in prior fiscal years, \$6,850,000.

5 For the payment of compensation benefits (including
6 the advancement of costs for the enforcement of third party
7 recoveries, and payments to other Federal agencies for
8 medical and hospital services) authorized by the Act of
9 February 15, 1934 (5 U. S. C. 796), extending the Act
10 of September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 751), to persons render-
11 ing services as employees of the United States pursuant to
12 said Act of February 15, 1934, the Act of June 19, 1934
13 (48 Stat. 1056), and the several emergency relief and
14 National Youth Administration appropriation Acts and to
15 veterans and other persons included under title V of the
16 Act of June 29, 1936 (49 Stat. 2035), there is hereby
17 reappropriated the unexpended balance of the appropriation
18 "Employees' compensation fund emergency relief, 1943",
19 and of such special funds as have heretofore been established
20 in the Treasury pursuant to such Acts, of which \$435,820
21 shall be available for administrative expenses of the Em-
22 ployees' Compensation Commission of which latter sum not
23 to exceed \$75,000 may be added to the appropriation in
24 this Act for salaries and expenses, United States Employees'
25 Compensation Commission: *Provided*, That the Commission

1 shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment
 2 and burial expenses, including transportation and other ex-
 3 penses incidental to such services, treatment and burial, to
 4 such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may
 5 be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hos-
 6 pital services and treatment at Government expense on
 7 June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the
 8 Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and
 9 the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7,
 10 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services,
 11 treatment, and expenses.

12 This title may be cited as the "Employees' Compensa-
 13 tion Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

14 TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

15 Salaries: For three Board members of the National Labor
 16 Relations Board and other personal services of the Board in
 17 the District of Columbia and elsewhere necessary in perform-
 18 ing the duties imposed by law, ~~\$1,415,000~~ \$1,715,000.

19 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
 20 authorized and necessary expenditures, other than salaries,
 21 of the National Labor Relations Board in performing duties
 22 imposed by law or in pursuance of law, including repairs
 23 and alterations; communication services; contract steno-
 24 graphic reporting services; lawbooks; books of reference;

1 periodicals; and operation, maintenance, and repair of one
2 automobile, \$478,000.

3 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
4 the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and
5 elsewhere, \$220,000.

6 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
7 penses necessary to enable thte National Labor Relations
8 Board to perform the duties imposed upon it by law or in
9 pursuance of law in connection with disputes involving labor
10 in industries under the national defense program, including
11 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
12 and other items otherwise properly chargeable to appro-
13 priations of the National Labor Relations Board for miscel-
14 laneous expenses and printing and binding, \$600,000. No
15 part of the funds appropriated in this title shall be used in
16 any way in connection with a complaint case arising over an
17 agreement between management and labor which has been
18 in existence for three months or longer without complaint
19 being filed.

20 This title may be cited as the "National Labor Relations
21 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

22 TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

23 For three members of the Board, and for other author-
24 ized expenditures of the National Mediation Board in per-
25 forming the duties imposed by law, including contract steno-

1 graphic reporting services; supplies and equipment; not
2 to exceed \$200 for books of reference, and periodicals,
3 \$184,500, of which amount not to exceed \$138,790 may be
4 expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

5 Salaries and expenses, emergency panels, and so forth,
6 National Mediation Board: For all necessary expenses of the
7 National Railway Labor panel, including compensation of
8 the members thereof at not to exceed \$50 per day and \$6
9 per diem in lieu of subsistence on such days as they are
10 actually engaged in performance of the duties of the panel;
11 travel expenses of members of the panel, including such
12 expenses to and from their homes or regular places of busi-
13 ness; printing and binding; contract stenographic reporting
14 services; and personal services in the District of Columbia
15 to enable the chairman of said panel to perform his functions
16 under Executive Order Numbered 9299, \$50,000.

17 Arbitration and emergency boards: To enable the
18 National Mediation Board to pay necessary expenses of
19 arbitration boards, and emergency boards appointed by the
20 President pursuant to section 10 of the Railway Labor Act
21 approved May 20, 1926 (45 U. S. C. 160), including com-
22 pensation of members and employees of such boards, together
23 with their necessary traveling expenses and expenses actu-
24 ally incurred for subsistence while so employed, and printing
25 of awards, together with proceedings and testimony relating

1 thereto, as authorized by the Railway Labor Act, including
 2 also contract stenographic reporting service, and rent of
 3 quarters when suitable quarters cannot be supplied in any
 4 Federal building, the unexpended balance of previous ap-
 5 propriations for these purposes shall be available.

6 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
 7 the National Mediation Board, \$2,500.

8 NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

9 Salaries and expenses: For authorized expenditures of
 10 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, in performing the
 11 duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic re-
 12 porting services and supplies and equipment, \$235,500, of
 13 which \$62,500 shall be available only for compensation not
 14 in excess of \$50 per day and expenses of referees, and not
 15 more than \$118,680 for other personal services: ~~Provided,~~
 16 ~~That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the fiscal~~
 17 ~~year 1944 to any person for services as referee.~~

18 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
 19 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, \$17,500.

20 This title may be cited as the "National Mediation
 21 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

22 TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

23 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
 24 bia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed
 25 by law, ~~\$1,706,769~~ \$2,030,000.

1 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries) : For all
 2 necessary expenditures, other than salaries and printing and
 3 binding, of the Railroad Retirement Board in performing
 4 the duties imposed by law, including rent in the District
 5 of Columbia and elsewhere; traveling expenses, including
 6 not to exceed \$1,000 for expenses of attendance at meet-
 7 ings concerned with the work of the Board when specifically
 8 authorized by the Board; not to exceed \$2,500 for payment
 9 of actual transportation and per diem (not to exceed \$10)
 10 in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
 11 serving while away from their homes without other com-
 12 pensation in an advisory capacity to the Railroad Retire-
 13 ment Board; repairs and alterations; contract stenographic
 14 reporting services; other fees and compensation: sup-
 15 plies and equipment (including photographic equipment) ;
 16 not to exceed \$5,000 for lawbooks, books of reference,
 17 periodicals, and for payment in advance when authorized
 18 by the Board for library membership in organizations which
 19 issue publications to members only or to members at a price
 20 lower than to the general public; operation, maintenance,
 21 and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles;
 22 and expenses incident to moving the office of the Board
 23 from one building to another. ~~\$450,000~~ \$490,000.

24 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
 25 Railroad Retirement Board, \$34,000.

1 Railroad retirement account: For an amount sufficient
 2 as an annual premium for the payments required under the
 3 Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, and
 4 the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 24, 1937, and
 5 authorized to be appropriated to the railroad retirement ac-
 6 count established under section 15 (a) of the latter Act,
 7 \$262,720,000, of which \$20,774,000 shall be immediately
 8 available: *Provided*, That such total amount shall be avail-
 9 able until expended for making payments required under
 10 said retirement Acts, and the amount not required for current
 11 payments shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury
 12 in accordance with the provisions of said Railroad Retirement
 13 Act of June 24, 1937.

14 This title may be cited as the "Railroad Retirement
 15 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

16 TITLE VII—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESI-
 17 DENT—OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGE-
 18 MENT

19 WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

20 General administration: For all necessary expenses for
 21 the general administration of the War Manpower Commis-
 22 sion, including not to exceed \$10,000 for the employment of
 23 aliens, not to exceed \$160,000 for printing and binding,
 24 and not to exceed \$1,098,214 for travel expenses,
 25 \$9,994,800.

APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

Apprentice training service: For all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training including printing and binding (not to exceed \$3,000), and travel expenses (not to exceed \$100,000). ~~\$465,500~~ \$500,000.

Apprentice training service (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training in national defense industries, including printing and binding (not to exceed \$15,000), and travel expenses (not to exceed \$161,000). ~~\$550,000~~ \$650,000.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Employment office facilities and services: For all necessary expenses of the War Manpower Commission in connection with the operation and maintenance of employment office facilities and services, and the performance of functions, duties, and powers relating to employment service transferred to the War Manpower Commission by Executive Order Numbered 9247, including the recruitment and placement of individuals for work or training in occupations essential to the war effort; such expenses to include contract janitorial services, at not to exceed \$300 for any individual; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel

1 performed by employees in privately owned automobiles
2 within the limits of their official station; printing and bind-
3 ing (not to exceed \$265,000) ; travel expenses (not to ex-
4 ceed ~~\$1,980,000~~ \$2,275,000) ; and rent in the District of
5 Columbia: *Provided*, That payment of salaries may be made to
6 employees while taking annual and sick leave based upon
7 unused leave accrued under State regulations found by the
8 Social Security Board to conform to the requirements of
9 title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and on the
10 basis of State employment which had been financed in whole
11 or in part from grants under title III of said Act, including
12 payment for accrued leave to be substituted for leave without
13 pay taken between January 1, 1942, and June 30, 1942,
14 which payment shall not exceed in any case the amount
15 payable for such purposes under Federal laws with respect
16 to the maximum accumulation of such leave: *Provided fur-*
17 *ther*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
18 may transfer funds from this appropriation to the Social
19 Security Board for "grants to States for unemployment com-
20 pensation administration" as authorized in title III of the
21 Social Security Act, as amended, to meet costs incurred by
22 States in making available to the War Manpower Commis-
23 sion premises, equipment, supplies, facilities, and services,
24 needed by the Commission in the operation and maintenance
25 of employment office facilities and services, any sum so trans-

ferred and not expended in accordance with this proviso to be
 retransferred to this appropriation, ~~\$45,500,000~~ \$50,500,000:

Provided further, That pending the return to State control
 after the war emergency of the Employment Service facilities,
 property, and personnel loaned by the States to the United
 States Employment Service, no portion of the sum herein
 appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for
 any salary, to any individual engaged in employment-service
 duties in any position within any local or field or State office,
 which substantially exceeds the salary which would apply to
 such position and individual if the relevant State merit sys-
 tem applied and if State operation of such office had con-
 tinued without interruption: *Provided further*, That no por-
 tion of the sum herein appropriated shall be expended by
 any Federal agency for the salary of any person who is
 engaged for more than half of the time, as determined by the
 State director of unemployment compensation, in the admin-
 istration of the State unemployment compensation act, includ-
 ing claims taking but excluding registration for work.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

For all necessary expenses to enable the National Youth
 Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the National
 Youth Administration and the conservation and disposition
 of all the property of whatever type (including buildings,
 accessories, equipment, and machinery of all types), in use

1 by said National Youth Administration, including the per-
2 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
3 payment for accrued annual leave of employees separated
4 from the Government service due to the discontinuance of the
5 National Youth Administration operations, and such travel
6 and other necessary expenses as may be incurred in connec-
7 tion with the liquidation of the National Youth Administra-
8 tion from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made
9 to the National Youth Administration in the "Federal Se-
10 curity Agency Appropriation Act of 1943" not exceeding
11 \$3,000,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall be com-
12 pleted as quickly as possible, but in any event not later than
13 January 1, 1944.

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SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

15 Salaries and expenses, Selective Service System, War
16 Manpower Commission: For all expenses necessary for the
17 operation and maintenance of the Selective Service System
18 as authorized by the Selective Training and Service Act of
19 1940 (50 U. S. C. App. 301); including not to exceed
20 \$640,000 for printing and binding; \$51,856,000: *Provided*,
21 That such amounts as may be necessary shall be available
22 for the planning, directing, and operation of a program of
23 work of national importance under civilian direction, either
24 independently or in cooperation with governmental or non-
25 governmental agencies, and the assignment and delivery

1 thereto of individuals found to be conscientiously opposed to
2 participation in work of the land or naval forces, which co-
3 operation with other agencies may include the furnishing of
4 funds to and acceptance of money, services, or other forms
5 of assistance from such nongovernmental agencies for the
6 more effectual accomplishment of the work; and including
7 also the pay and allowances of such individuals at rates not
8 in excess of those paid to persons inducted into the Army
9 under the Selective Service System, and such privileges as
10 are accorded such inductees: *Provided further*, That the
11 travel of persons engaged in the administration of the Selec-
12 tive Service System, including commissioned, warrant, or
13 enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or
14 their reserve components, may be ordered by the Director
15 or by such persons as he may authorize, and persons so trav-
16 eling shall be entitled to transportation and subsistence or
17 per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized by law:
18 *Provided further*, That the Director of Selective Service, in
19 prescribing per diem rates of allowance, not exceeding \$6,
20 in lieu of subsistence for officers of the Army, Navy, and
21 Marine Corps, and of the reserve components thereof, travel-
22 ing on official business and away from their designated posts
23 of duty, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 12 of the
24 Act approved June 16, 1942 (37 U. S. C. 112), is hereby
25 authorized to prescribe such per diem rates of allowance,

1 whether or not orders are given to such officers for travel to
2 be performed repeatedly between two or more places in the
3 same vicinity, and without regard to the length of time away
4 from their designated posts of duty under such orders.

5 TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

6 Training-within-industry service, War Manpower Com-
7 mission (national defense): For all expenses necessary
8 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
9 sion to promote and facilitate on-the-job training and
10 maximum utilization of workers by industries and activities
11 essential to the war by affording training to supervisory
12 personnel; including the temporary employment of persons
13 by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
14 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classifica-
15 tion laws; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per
16 mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately
17 owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations;
18 printing and binding (not to exceed \$50,000); and travel
19 expenses (not to exceed \$300,440), \$1,686,000.

20 SEC. 702. The general provisions under the caption
21 "Executive Office of the President—Office for Emergency
22 Management", contained in the National War Agencies
23 Appropriation Act, 1944, and applicable to the constituent
24 agencies of the Office for Emergency Management con-
25 tained therein shall be applicable in the same manner to

1 the War Manpower Commission and the appropriations
2 therefor contained in this title.

3 SEC. 703. This title may be cited as the "War Man-
4 power Commission Appropriation Act, 1944."

5 TITLE VIII—GENERAL PROVISIONS

6 SEC. 801. No part of any appropriation contained in
7 this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any
8 position for which he or she has been nominated after the
9 Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said
10 person.

11 SEC. 802. No part of any appropriation contained in
12 this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any
13 person who advocates, or who is a member of an organi-
14 zation that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of
15 the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for
16 the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima
17 facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not
18 advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advo-
19 cates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States
20 by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person
21 who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that
22 advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United
23 States by force or violence and accepts employment the
24 salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation
25 contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon

1 conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or impris-
2 oned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further,*
3 That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and
4 not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

5 SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training
6 of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available
7 for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after
8 cessation of hostilities in the present war.

9 SEC. 804. The appropriations and authority with respect
10 to appropriations contained herein shall be available from
11 and including July 1, 1943, for the purposes respectively
12 provided in such appropriations and authority. All obliga-
13 tions incurred during the period between June 30, 1943, and
14 the date of the enactment of this Act in anticipation of such
15 appropriations and authority are hereby ratified and con-
16 firmed if in accordance with the terms thereof.

17 SEC. 805. This Act may be cited as the "Labor-Federal
18 Security Appropriation Act, 1944".

Passed the House of Representatives June 16, 1943.

Attest:

SOUTH TRIMBLE,

Clerk.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

JUNE 18 (legislative day, May 24), 1943

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations

JUNE 24 (legislative day, May 24), 1943

Reported with amendments

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H. R. 2935

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 26 (legislative day, MAY 24), 1943

Ordered to be printed

AMENDMENT

Proposed by Mr. TRUMAN to the bill (H. R. 2935) making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes, viz: Strike out all after line 20, on page 65, down to and including line 13, on page 66, and insert the following:

- 1 PAR. 1. Youth work: For all expenses necessary to en-
- 2 able the National Youth Administration, which is hereby
- 3 extended to and including June 30, 1944, under the super-
- 4 vision and direction of the War Manpower Commission, to
- 5 provide employment and work training for young persons
- 6 of the ages of sixteen to twenty-four, inclusive, on workshop
- and other projects approved by the Chairman of the War

1 Manpower Commission as needed in the prosecution of the
2 war in furnishing work experience and work training pre-
3 paratory to employment in occupations in which there is a
4 present or potential shortage of labor, \$35,000,000, together
5 with the unexpended balance of the appropriation for youth
6 work, National Youth Administration, 1943. This appro-
7 priation shall be available for the payment of project super-
8 visory employees; the procurement and maintenance of
9 project facilities by contract or otherwise, including the pur-
10 chase of materials, supplies, and equipment; purchase of
11 two hundred and fifteen passenger-carrying automobiles;
12 operation of resident facilities; travel expenses (not to exceed
13 \$918,000) for travel of supervisory employees in the per-
14 formance of their official duties, and transportation of trainees
15 to, from, and between projects, including the transfer of
16 trainees to induction projects for the purpose of placing such
17 trainees in war production industries; and the examination of
18 applicants for training to determine their physical fitness for
19 subsequent employment.

20 PAR. 2. To provide continuance of part-time employ-
21 ment for needy young persons in colleges and universities.
22 to enable such persons to continue their education.
23 \$4,000,000, together with not to exceed \$1,000,000 of
24 the unexpended balance of the appropriation for part-time

1 employment of students, National Youth Administration.
2 1943.

3 PAR. 3. Salaries and expenses: For all expenses neces-
4 sary for carrying out the general administration of the pro-
5 grams set forth in paragraph 1 and paragraph 2, including
6 not to exceed \$250,000 for travel expenses, \$2,750,000.

7 PAR. 4. Printing and binding: For printing and bind-
8 ing for the National Youth Administration, \$50,000.

9 PAR. 5. The Administrator of the National Youth
10 Administration shall, subject to the approval of the Chair-
11 man of the War Manpower Commission, fix the monthly
12 earnings and hours of work for trainees engaged on work
13 projects financed in whole or in part from the appropriation
14 in paragraph 1, but such determination shall not have the
15 effect of establishing a national average labor cost per trainee
16 on such projects during the fiscal year 1944 substantially
17 different from the national average labor cost per such trainee
18 on such projects prevailing at the close of the fiscal year
19 1943. The Administrator of the National Youth Administra-
20 tion, subject to the approval of the Chairman of the War
21 Manpower Commission, is hereby authorized to fix monthly
22 hours of work for uncompensated trainees who are employed
23 in and whose wages are paid by private industrial concerns
24 but who receive training through use of project facilities
25 as authorized in paragraph 7 hereafter.

1 PAR. 6. Funds appropriated under paragraphs 1 and 2
2 shall be so apportioned and distributed over the period end-
3 ing June 30, 1944, and shall be so administered during such
4 period as to constitute the total amount that will be furnished
5 during such period for the purposes set forth in paragraphs
6 1 and 2.

7 PAR. 7. The National Youth Administration is author-
8 ized to receive reimbursements from other Federal or non-
9 Federal public agencies for the use of facilities and for the
10 cost of materials, and contributions for the operation of proj-
11 ects from Federal or non-Federal agencies in the form of
12 services, materials, or money; any money so received to be
13 deposited with the Treasurer of the United States. Such
14 contributions shall be expended or utilized as agreed upon
15 between the contributing agency and the National Youth
16 Administration and such reimbursements shall be available
17 for the purposes of this appropriation. Workshop facilities
18 and personal services of project supervisory employees of the
19 National Youth Administration may be made available for
20 training of individuals who are employed in and whose wages
21 for such training are paid by private industrial concerns
22 engaged in the production of war materials or equipment:
23 *Provided, however,* That individuals receiving such training
24 shall not be entitled to wage or salary payments from any
25 funds appropriated herein.

1 PAR. 8. The facilities and services of the United States
2 Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission shall
3 be utilized wherever possible in the selection and referral of
4 trainees for employment and work training on projects of the
5 National Youth Administration.

6 PAR. 9. No alien shall be given employment or con-
7 tinued in employment on any work project prosecuted under
8 the appropriation in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 and no
9 part of the money appropriated in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2
10 or paragraph 3 shall be available to pay any person who has
11 not made or who does not make affidavit that he is a citizen
12 of the United States, such affidavit to be considered prima
13 facie evidence of such citizenship. This paragraph shall not
14 apply to citizens of the Commonwealth of the Philippines
15 or to persons who have been honorably discharged from the
16 armed forces of the United States.

17 PAR. 10. No person shall be employed or retained in
18 employment in any administrative position, or in any super-
19 visory position on any project, and no compensated or un-
20 compensated person shall receive assistance in the form of
21 payments, training, or otherwise from the United States for
22 services rendered under the National Youth Administration,
23 under the appropriation in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 or
24 paragraph 3 unless such person before engaging in such

1 employment or receiving such assistance subscribes to the
2 following oath:

3 "I, A B, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will sup-
4 port and defend the Constitution of the United States against
5 all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true
6 faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation
7 freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion;
8 and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the
9 office (or employment) on which I am about to enter (or
10 which I now occupy). So help me God."

11 PAR. 11. Compensated and uncompensated administra-
12 tive and supervisory employees of the National Youth Ad-
13 ministration, designated for the purpose by the National
14 Youth Administrator, or his authorized representative, shall
15 have the general powers of notaries public in the administra-
16 tion of oaths required by paragraphs 9 and 10 and the exe-
17 cution and acknowledgment of other legal instruments, and
18 shall perform all forms of notarial acts determined by the National Youth
19 Administrator to be necessary for the effective prosecution
20 of the National Youth Administration programs. No fee
21 shall be charged for oaths administered by such employees.

22 PAR. 12. No person who refuses prior to employment
23 to agree that he will accept employment in industry related
24 to national defense if and when offered in good faith shall
25 be eligible for employment on any project of the National

1 Youth Administration. The provisions of this paragraph
2 shall not apply to uncompensated trainees who are employed
3 in and who are paid by private industrial concerns.

4 PAR. 13. No portion of the appropriation in paragraph
5 1 or paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be used to pay any
6 compensation to any person who advocates, or who is a
7 member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of
8 the Government of the United States through force or
9 violence.

10 PAR. 14. No portion of the appropriations in paragraph
11 1 or paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be used to pay the
12 compensation of any civil-service employee, except persons
13 so appointed who are already employed by another agency
14 of the Government and are assigned or detailed to the
15 National Youth Administration.

16 PAR. 15. In carrying out the purposes of this appro-
17 priation, the National Youth Administrator, or his authorized
18 representatives, subject to the approval of the Chairman of
19 the War Manpower Commission, is authorized to accept and
20 utilize voluntary and uncompensated services; to appoint and
21 compensate officers and employees without regard to civil-
22 service laws or the Classification Act of 1923, as amended,
23 and to utilize, with the consent of the head of the Federal
24 agency by which they are employed, Federal officers and
25 employees, and with the consent of the State or local govern-

1 ment. State and local officers and employees at such com-
2 pensation as shall be determined by the National Youth
3 Administrator to be necessary without regard to other laws
4 governing the employment and compensation of Federal
5 employees.

6 PAR. 16. Appointments in any State to Federal posi-
7 tions of an administrative or advisory capacity under the
8 appropriation in paragraph 3 shall be made from among the
9 bona fide citizens of that State so far as not inconsistent with
10 efficient administration.

11 PAR. 17. In making separations from the Federal serv-
12 ice, or furloughs without pay to last as long as three months,
13 of persons employed within the District of Columbia, under
14 the provisions of paragraph 3, the appointing power shall
15 give preference, as nearly as good administration will war-
16 rant, in retention to appointees from States that have not
17 received their share of appointments according to population:
18 *Provided, however,* That soldiers and sailors and marines, the
19 widows of such, or the wives of injured soldiers, sailors, and
20 marines, who themselves are not qualified, but whose wives
21 are qualified to hold a position in the Government service,
22 shall be given preference in retention, in their several grades
23 and classes, where their ratings are good or better.

24 PAR. 18. The provisions of the Act of February 15,
25 1934 (48 Stat. 351), as amended, relating to disability or

1 death compensation and benefits, shall apply to persons re-
2 ceiving compensation from the appropriation in paragraph 1
3 for services rendered as employees of the United States:
4 *Provided*, That this section shall not apply in any case coming
5 within the purview of the workmen's compensation law of
6 any State, Territory, or possession, or in which the claimant
7 has received or is entitled to receive similar benefits for
8 injury or death: *Provided further*, That for carrying out the
9 purposes of this paragraph there shall be made available to
10 the United States Employees' Compensation Commission
11 from the appropriation in such paragraph 1 the sum of
12 \$86,000, or so much thereof as such Commission, with the
13 approval of the Bureau of the Budget, estimates and certifies
14 to the Secretary of the Treasury will be necessary for such
15 purposes.

16 PAR. 19. The funds appropriated by paragraph 1 hereof
17 shall be available for emergency hospitalization and medical
18 care, by reimbursement to Government hospitals or by con-
19 tract with other public or private hospitals, in cases of critical
20 illness or injury, of compensated trainees, who are full-time
21 residents of projects involving the maintenance of trainees
22 in camps or other resident facilities under the supervision
23 of the National Youth Administration.

24 PAR. 20. If the death of any trainee, employed and com-
25 pensated from funds provided under paragraph 1 hereof,

1 occurs while such trainee is in transit to or in residence at
2 such camp or other resident facility mentioned in paragraph
3 19 hereof, or while undergoing hospital treatment except for
4 injuries sustained under conditions which are covered by the
5 benefits of the United States Employees' Compensation Act
6 as provided for in paragraph 18 hereof, the funds appro-
7 priated under paragraph 1 hereof shall be available for the
8 payment of necessary expenses of preparation of the body for
9 burial, interment or cremation (not to exceed a total of \$100
10 in any one case), and for transportation of the remains,
11 including round-trip transportation and subsistence of an
12 escort, to the home of the decedent, or to such other place
13 as relatives of the decedent may designate if the distance to
14 such other place be not greater than the distance to the home
15 of the decedent: *Provided*, That when the expenses of the
16 preparation and disposition of the remains, or any part of
17 such expenses, are paid by individuals, such individuals may
18 be reimbursed therefor.

19 PAR. 21. The National Youth Administrator, subject
20 to the approval of the Chairman of the War Manpower Com-
21 mission, is authorized to consider, ascertain, adjust, deter-
22 mine, and pay from the appropriation in paragraph 1 any
23 claim arising out of operations thereunder accruing after June
24 30, 1943, on account of damage to, or loss of, privately
25 owned property caused by the negligence of any employee of

1 the National Youth Administration, while acting within the
2 scope of his employment. No claim shall be considered here-
3 under which is in excess of \$500 or which is not presented
4 in writing within one year from the date of accrual thereof.
5 Acceptance by a claimant of the amount allowed on account
6 of his claim shall be deemed to be in full settlement thereof,
7 and the action upon such claim so accepted by the claimant
8 shall be conclusive.

9 PAR. 22. Any person who knowingly and with intent
10 to defraud the United States makes any false statement in
11 connection with any application for any project authorized
12 in paragraph 1, or diverts, or attempts to divert, or assists
13 in diverting, for the benefit of any person or persons not en-
14 titled thereto, any portion of the appropriations in paragraphs
15 1, 2, 3, or 4 or any services or real or personal property ac-
16 quired thereunder, or who knowingly, by means of any fraud,
17 force, threat, intimidation, or boycott, or discrimination on ac-
18 count of race, religion, political affiliations, or membership in a
19 labor organization, deprives, or attempts to deprive, or as-
20 sists in depriving any person of any of the benefits to which
21 he may be entitled under such appropriation, shall be deemed
22 guilty of a felony and fined not more than \$2,000 or im-
23 prisoned not more than two years, or both. The provisions
24 of this paragraph shall be in addition to, and not in substitu-
25 tion for, any other provisions of existing law.

1 PAR. 23. All training or educational programs other than
2 work and training on the project location incidental to the
3 supervision of a work program being conducted thereon for
4 youth employed by the National Youth Administration on
5 work projects shall be under the control and supervision of
6 the State boards for vocational education of the several States
7 and shall be paid for out of appropriations made to the
8 Office of Education and expended by the States pursuant to
9 plans submitted by State boards for vocational education
10 and approved by the Commissioner of Education.

11 PAR. 24. Section 3709 of the Revised Statutes shall not
12 be construed to apply to any purchase with funds appro-
13 priated for the National Youth Administration when the
14 aggregate amount involved in such purchase does not exceed
15 the sum of \$300.

16 PAR. 25. Whenever the Chairman of the War Man-
17 power Commission shall determine that the facilities of any
18 shop project of the National Youth Administration can con-
19 tribute more effectively to the prosecution of the war if
20 operated by another department or agency of the Govern-
21 ment, or by another public agency, he may direct the transfer
22 of such facilities to such department or agency.

23 PAR. 26. Property and facilities which are declared sur-
24 plus to the needs of the program as provided in paragraph 1
25 may be transferred, upon such terms as may be approved by

1 the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission, but with-
2 out cost to the United States for transportation or otherwise,
3 to school districts, municipalities, counties, States, or other
4 non-Federal public agencies, without regard to other Federal
5 law or regulation.

AMENDMENT

Proposed by Mr. TRUMAN to the bill (H. R. 2935) making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

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AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money
4 in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Depart-
5 ment of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related
6 independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30,
7 1944, namely:

8 TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

9 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

10 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
11 bia, (1)~~\$352,000~~ \$386,000.

1 Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor: For per-
2 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
3 and for other necessary expenses in the field, including
4 contract stenographic reporting services, \$715,000.

5 Contingent expenses: For expenses of the offices and
6 bureaus of the Department, for which appropriations for
7 expenses are not specifically made, including the purchase
8 of stationery, furniture, and repairs to the same, carpets,
9 matting, oilcloths, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap,
10 sponges, laundry, not exceeding \$1,000 for streetcar fares;
11 purchase, maintenance, and repair of motorcycles and
12 motortrucks; maintenance, operation, and repair of four
13 motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; freight and
14 express charges; commercial and labor-reporting services;
15 postage to foreign countries, telegraph and telephone service;
16 purchase and exchange of lawbooks, books of reference,
17 newspapers, and periodicals and, when authorized by the
18 Secretary of Labor, dues for library membership in societies
19 or associations which issue publications to members only
20 or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who
21 are not members, not exceeding \$6,000; contract steno-
22 graphic services; and teletype service and tolls (not to
23 exceed \$1,100), \$166,550.

24 Traveling expenses: For traveling expenses under the
25 Department of Labor, including reimbursement to employees

1 of the Wage and Hour Division, at not to exceed 3 cents
 2 per mile, for expenses of travel performed by them in pri-
 3 vately owned automobiles within the limits of their official
 4 stations in the field, \$1,092,000.

5 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
 6 Department of Labor, \$263,500.

7 Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For
 8 salaries and other expenses, including purchase and distribu-
 9 tion of reports, and of material for informational exhibits,
 10 in connection with the promotion of health, safety, employ-
 11 ment stabilization, and amicable industrial relations for labor
 12 and industry, \$146,000.

13 Salaries and expenses, Safety and Health Program (na-
 14 tional defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the
 15 Secretary of Labor to conduct a program of safety and health
 16 among employees engaged in national-defense industries, in-
 17 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia and
 18 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to
 19 the appropriations under the Department of Labor for con-
 20 tingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
 21 binding, \$150,000.

22 (2) *Salaries and expenses, Working Conditions Service,*
 23 *Division of Labor Standards (national defense): For sal-*
 24 *aries and expenses necessary to provide for the extension of*
 25 *advisory service to labor and management in national defense*

1 *industries in connection with the promotion of health, safety,*
2 *employment stabilization, proper working conditions, and*
3 *amicable industrial relations, including items otherwise prop-*
4 *erly chargeable to the appropriations under the Department*
5 *of Labor for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and*
6 *printing and binding; and reimbursement to employees at not*
7 *to exceed 3 cents per mile for expenses of official travel per-*
8 *formed in privately owned automobiles within the limits of*
9 *their official stations, \$700,000.*

10 The appropriation under this title for traveling expenses
11 shall be available for expenses of attendance of cooperating
12 officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the
13 work of the Division of Labor Standards when called by the
14 Division of Labor Standards with the written approval of the
15 Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also in an amount
16 not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings
17 related to the work of the Division of Labor Standards when
18 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

19 Commissioners of conciliation: For expenses necessary
20 to enable the Secretary of Labor to exercise the authority
21 vested in him by section 8 of the Act creating the Depart-
22 ment of Labor (5 U. S. C. 611), including newspapers, books
23 of reference, and periodicals; and not to exceed \$68,827 for
24 personal services in the District of Columbia, \$444,000.

25 Commissioners of Conciliation (national defense): For

1 all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to
2 perform conciliation services in situations growing out of
3 employment in industries under the national defense pro-
4 gram, including personal services in the District of Columbia
5 and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly charge-
6 able to the appropriations under the Department of Labor
7 for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
8 binding, \$1,500,000.

9 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
10 shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for
11 expenses of attendance at meetings, conferences, or conven-
12 tions concerned with labor and industrial relations when
13 incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

14 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

15 Salaries and expenses: For personal services including
16 temporary statistical clerks, stenographers, and typists in
17 the District of Columbia, and including also experts and
18 temporary assistants for field service outside of the District
19 of Columbia; purchase of periodicals, documents, envelopes,
20 price quotations, and reports and materials for reports and
21 bulletins of said Bureau, \$1,100,000, of which amount not
22 to exceed \$970,000 may be expended for the salary of the
23 Commissioner and other personal services in the District of
24 Columbia.

25 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses

1 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000, for
 2 expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work
 3 of the Bureau of Labor Statistics when incurred on the
 4 written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

5 Salaries and expenses (national defense) : For all ex-
 6 penses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor, through
 7 the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation to the national
 8 security and defense, to perform the functions authorized by
 9 the Act of June 13, 1888, and other Acts (29 U. S. C. 1) ;
 10 to continue occupational outlook surveys throughout the
 11 United States; and to conduct studies relative to problems
 12 connected with labor likely to arise upon the termination
 13 of the existing emergent conditions in connection with de-
 14 fense activities throughout the United States, in cooperation
 15 with the National Resources Planning Board; such expenses
 16 to include personal services in the District of Columbia and
 17 elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable
 18 to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for
 19 contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and
 20 binding, and not to exceed \$15,000 for the temporary em-
 21 ployment of experts without regard to the civil service and
 22 classification laws, \$1,162,000.

23

CHILDREN'S BUREAU

24

25 Salaries and expenses: For expenses of investigating and
 reporting upon matters pertaining to the welfare of children

1 and child life, and especially to investigate the questions of
 2 infant mortality; personal services, including experts and
 3 temporary assistants; purchase of reports and material for
 4 the publications of the Children's Bureau and for reprints
 5 from State, city, and private publications for distribution
 6 when said reprints can be procured more cheaply than they
 7 can be printed by the Government, and other necessary
 8 expenses, \$324,000, of which amount not to exceed \$289,600
 9 may be expended for personal services in the District of
 10 Columbia.

11 Salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair
 12 Labor Standards Act: For all authorized and necessary
 13 expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties
 14 imposed upon it by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938,
 15 including personal services in the District of Columbia and
 16 elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books
 17 of reference, and periodicals; and reimbursement to State
 18 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
 19 as authorized by section 11 of said Act, ~~(3)~~\$200,000
 20 \$253,000.

21 MATERNAL AND CHILD WELFARE

22 Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare:
 23 For all authorized and necessary administrative expenses of
 24 the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed
 25 upon it by title V of the Social Security Act, approved

1 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal services,
 2 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services;
 3 equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals,
 4 ~~(4)\$350,000~~ \$378,000 ~~(5):~~ *Provided, That no part of any*
 5 ~~appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promul-~~
 6 ~~gate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation relating~~
 7 ~~to the care of obstetrical cases which discriminates between~~
 8 ~~persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics.~~

9 Grants to States for maternal and child health services:
 10 For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State
 11 to extend and improve services for promoting the health of
 12 mothers and children, as authorized in title V, part 1, of
 13 the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42
 14 U. S. C. 701), as amended, \$5,820,000: *Provided, That*
 15 *any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) shall*
 16 *not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections*
 17 *(a) and (b) of section 504 an amount expended or*
 18 *estimated to be expended by the State.*

19 Grants to States for services for crippled children: For
 20 the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve
 21 services for crippled children, as authorized in title V, part
 22 2, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935
 23 (42 U. S. C. 711), as amended, \$3,870,000.

24 Grants to States for child-welfare services: For grants
 25 to States for the purpose of enabling the United States,

1 through the Children's Bureau, to cooperate with State
 2 public-welfare agencies in establishing, extending, and
 3 strengthening public-welfare services for the care of home-
 4 less or neglected children, or children in danger of becoming
 5 delinquent, as authorized in title V, part 3, of the Social
 6 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 721),
 7 as amended, \$1,510,000.

8 Grants to States for emergency maternity and infant
 9 care (national defense): For grants to States, including
 10 Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia,
 11 to provide, in addition to similar services otherwise avail-
 12 able, medical, nursing, and hospital maternity and infant
 13 care for wives and infants of enlisted men in the armed
 14 forces of the United States, under allotments by the Secre-
 15 tary of Labor and plans developed and administered by
 16 State health agencies and approved by the Chief of the
 17 Children's Bureau, ~~(6)\$4,000,000~~ \$4,800,000.

18 In the administration of title V of the Social Security
 19 Act, as amended, for the fiscal year 1944, payments
 20 to the States for any quarter of the fiscal year 1944
 21 under parts 1, 2, and 3 may be made with respect to any
 22 State plan approved under such respective parts by the Chief
 23 of the Children's Bureau prior to or during such quarter, but
 24 no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for

1 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan is sub-
2 mitted to the Chief of the Children's Bureau for approval.

3 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
4 shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$11,000, for
5 expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants
6 at conferences concerned with the administration of work of
7 the Children's Bureau under the Fair Labor Standards Act
8 and under title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security
9 Act, as amended, when called by the Children's Bureau with
10 the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be
11 available also, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000, for ex-
12 penses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the
13 Children's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
14 of the Secretary of Labor.

15 WOMEN'S BUREAU

16 Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions
17 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish in the Department
18 of Labor a bureau to be known as the Women's Bureau",
19 approved June 5, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 11-16), including
20 personal services in the District of Columbia; purchase of
21 material for reports and educational exhibits, \$160,000.

22 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
23 be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,500 for expenses
24 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the

1 Women's Bureau when incurred on the written authority
2 of the Secretary of Labor.

3 WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

4 Salaries: For personal services for the Wage and Hour
5 Division necessary in performing the duties imposed by the
6 Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
7 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
8 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
9 (41 U. S. C. 38), including reimbursement to State, Fed-
10 eral, and local agencies and their employees for services
11 rendered, \$3,750,000, of which amount not to exceed
12 \$675,000 (exclusive of pay of members of industry com-
13 mittees) may be expended for departmental salaries.

14 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For
15 necessary expenses, other than salaries, of the Wage and
16 Hour Division in performing the duties imposed by the Fair
17 Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide
18 conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of
19 contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936
20 (41 U. S. C. 38), including stenographic reporting services
21 by contract or otherwise, purchase of one and maintenance,
22 repair, and operation outside the District of Columbia, of
23 three motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, lawbooks,
24 books of reference, periodicals, manuscripts and special re-
25 ports, newspapers, and reimbursement to State, Federal,

1 and local agencies and their employees for services rendered,
2 \$250,000.

3 The Secretary of Labor may allot or transfer, with
4 the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget,
5 funds from the foregoing appropriations for the Wage
6 and Hour Division to any other bureau or office of the
7 Department of Labor to enable such bureau or office to
8 perform services for the Wage and Hour Division.

9 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
10 be available in an amount not to exceed \$4,750 for expenses
11 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
12 Wage and Hour Division when incurred on the written
13 authority of the Secretary of Labor.

14 This title may be cited as the "Department of Labor
15 Appropriation Act, 1944".

16 TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

17 AMERICAN PRINTING HOUSE FOR THE BLIND

18 To enable the American Printing House for the Blind
19 more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the
20 education of the blind in accordance with the provisions of
21 the Act approved February 8, 1927 (20 U. S. C. 101),
22 \$115,000.

23 CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

24 For all necessary expenses to enable the Federal Se-
25 curity Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the

1 Civilian Conservation Corps and the conservation and dis-
2 position of all of the property of whatever type (including
3 camp buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of
4 all types) in use by said Corps, including personal services
5 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for
6 accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Gov-
7 ernment service due to the discontinuance of Corps operations;
8 and for such travel and other necessary expenses as may be
9 incurred in connection with liquidation of said Civilian Con-
10 servation Corps from the unexpended balances of the appro-
11 priations made to the Civilian Conservation Corps in the
12 Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1942, not
13 exceeding \$20,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall
14 be completed as quickly as possible but in any event not
15 later than June 30, 1944: *Provided further*, That for the
16 purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the
17 Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved
18 June 28, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and
19 effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liqui-
20 dation of such Corps, and the Federal Security Administrator
21 shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such
22 Corps by such Act.

23 Notwithstanding the provisions of the Act of December
24 23, 1941 (Public Law 371), the Federal Security Admin-
25 istrator is authorized, during the fiscal year 1944, to dispose

1 of any camp buildings, no longer needed for Civilian Con-
 2 servation Corps purposes, and housekeeping and camp main-
 3 tenance equipment necessary in connection therewith, by
 4 transfer with or without reimbursement, to other Federal
 5 agencies or, upon such terms as he may prescribe to any
 6 State, county, municipality, or nonprofit organization for the
 7 promotion of conservation, education, recreation, or health:
 8 *Provided, That*, in the case of buildings located on land owned
 9 by the United States, any such disposition shall be subject
 10 to the approval of the agency of the United States having
 11 jurisdiction of such lands: *And provided further, That* such
 12 buildings and equipment shall first be tendered to the War
 13 Department and Navy Department for use in prosecution of
 14 the war, or the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which
 15 Departments or agency shall have sixty days from the date
 16 of notification of availability of such buildings and equipment
 17 to accept such tender.

18 COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

19 For support of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf,
 20 including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illus-
 21 trative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements,
 22 \$155,200.

23 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

24 For all necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
 25 ministration in carrying out the investigations, including col-

1 lecting, reporting, and illustrating the results thereof, and
 2 performing the functions required to carry into effect the
 3 provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act
 4 (21 U. S. C. 301-392) ; the Act approved March 2, 1897,
 5 entitled "An Act to prevent the importation of impure and
 6 unwholesome tea" (21 U. S. C. 41-50), which may here-
 7 after be cited as the Tea Importation Act; the Act approved
 8 February 15, 1927, to regulate the importation of milk and
 9 cream into the United States, and so forth (21 U. S. C.
 10 141-149), which may hereafter be cited as the Import Milk
 11 Act; the Federal Caustic Poison Act (15 U. S. C. 401-
 12 411) ; and the Act approved May 4, 1923, entitled "An Act
 13 to prohibit the shipment of filled milk in interstate or foreign
 14 commerce" (21 U. S. C. 61-64), which may hereafter be
 15 cited as the Filled Milk Act; as follows:

16 Enforcement operations: To enable the Federal Security
 17 Administrator to carry into effect the provisions of the above
 18 statutes, including personal services in the District of Colum-
 19 bia (not exceeding \$673,000) and elsewhere; purchase (not
 20 to exceed ten), operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-
 21 propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles; pur-
 22 chase of chemicals, apparatus, and scientific equipment; con-
 23 tract stenographic reporting services; books of reference and
 24 periodicals, (7)~~\$2,200,000~~ \$2,323,580; and the Administra-
 25 tor, in carrying into effect the provisions of the Federal Food,

1 Drug, and Cosmetic Act, is authorized hereafter to cooperate
 2 with associations and scientific societies in the revision of the
 3 United States Pharmacopoeia and in the development of
 4 methods of analysis and mechanical and physical tests neces-
 5 sary to carry out the work of the Food and Drug Adminis-
 6 tration and to pay the compensation and expenses of the
 7 members of the Board appointed under section 2 of the Tea
 8 Importation Act, and such compensation and expenses shall
 9 not be paid out of the appropriation for "Expenses of col-
 10 lecting the revenue from customs".

11 Salaries, sea-food inspectors: For salaries of sea-food
 12 inspectors designated in accordance with the provisions of
 13 section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act, as
 14 amended by the Act of August 27, 1935 (21 U. S. C.
 15 372a), which may hereafter be cited as section 702A of the
 16 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, \$40,000.

17 General administration: For general administration, in-
 18 cluding personal services in the District of Columbia,
 19 ~~(8)\$90,000~~ \$94,400.

20 FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

21 For officers and employees and compensation for all
 22 other professional and other services that may be required
 23 and expressly approved by the Federal Security Administra-
 24 tor, \$490,000.

1 Miscellaneous expenses: For subsistence; fuel and light,
2 not exceeding \$500 for expenses of attendance upon meet-
3 ings of a technical nature, pertaining to hospital adminis-
4 tration and medical advancement, when authorized by the
5 Federal Security Administrator; clothing to include white
6 cotton or duck suits for the use of internes, and cotton or
7 duck uniforms or aprons for cooks, maids, and attendants, and
8 laundering thereof; rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage,
9 medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments,
10 electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, and
11 furniture; maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying
12 vehicles; not exceeding \$250 for the purchase of books,
13 periodicals, and newspapers; not to exceed \$2,000 for the
14 special instruction of student nurses; reimbursement to the
15 appropriations of Howard University of actual cost of heat
16 and light furnished, and other necessary expenses \$196,000:
17 *Provided*, That there shall be transferred from this appro-
18 priation to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, public
19 buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, Public
20 Buildings Administration" for direct expenditure by the
21 Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations,
22 improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds
23 of Freedmen's Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred
24 from this appropriation to the appropriation "Traveling

1 expenses, Federal Security Agency", and that \$2,500 shall
 2 be transferred to the appropriation "Miscellaneous and
 3 contingent expenses, Public Health Service": *Provided*
 4 *further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing
 5 appropriations for the Freedmen's Hospital shall be charge-
 6 able to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner
 7 as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are
 8 paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time
 9 to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so
 10 that the portion of each of these appropriations charged
 11 to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to
 12 the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital
 13 days of service to persons who have resided in the District
 14 of Columbia for over one year on the day of admission bears
 15 to the total number of hospital days of service performed.

16 HOWARD UNIVERSITY

17 Salaries: For payment in full or in part of the salaries
 18 of the officers, professors, teachers, and other regular em-
 19 ployees of the university, the balance to be paid from
 20 privately contributed funds, ~~(9)\$591,240~~ \$597,840.

21 Expenses, Howard University: For equipment, sup-
 22 plies, apparatus, furniture, cases and shelving, stationery,
 23 ice, repairs to buildings and grounds, and for other necessary
 24 expenses of the university, \$156,000.

OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the mechanic arts: For carrying out the provisions of section 22 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935 (49 Stat. 436), \$2,480,000.

Library service: For making surveys, studies, investigations, and reports regarding public, school, college, university, and other libraries; fostering coordination of public and school library service; coordinating library service on the national level with other forms of adult education; developing library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nationwide coordination of research materials among the more scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the development of public, school, and other library service throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, as the Commissioner of Education may deem necessary, purchase of miscellaneous supplies, equipment, stationery, postage on foreign mail,

1 books of reference, lawbooks, and periodicals, and all other
2 necessary expenses, \$20,800.

3 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
4 bia, \$294,400.

5 General expenses: For general expenses of the Office of
6 Education, including lawbooks, books of reference, and
7 periodicals; purchase, distribution, and exchange of educa-
8 tional documents, motion-picture films, and lantern slides;
9 collection, exchange, and cataloging of educational apparatus
10 and appliances, articles of school furniture and models of
11 school buildings illustrative of foreign and domestic systems
12 and methods of education, and repairing the same, \$12,000.

13 The unexpended balance of the appropriation for loans
14 to students in technical and professional fields, 1943, is
15 hereby reappropriated and made available for the same pur-
16 poses and under the same conditions as provided in the Fed-
17 eral Security Agency Appropriation Act 1943, except that
18 such loans shall be made only to those students (10) whose
19 ~~technical or professional education can be completed in one~~
20 ~~year~~ *who received loans during the fiscal year 1943*, and
21 of the sum reappropriated not to exceed \$54,000 shall
22 be available for administrative expenses, including personal
23 services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
24 purchase and exchange of equipment; printing and bind-
25 ing; travel expenses, including not to exceed \$1,200 for

1 actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per
2 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
3 serving while away from their homes, without other com-
4 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity
5 to the Commissioner of Education (11): *Provided, That said*
6 *unexpended balance shall be available for not more than two*
7 *thousand students and that this program shall end June 30,*
8 *1944.*

9 Vocational Rehabilitation

10 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled
11 in industry: For carrying out the provisions of the Act
12 entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational
13 rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise
14 and their return to civil employment", approved June 2,
15 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), as amended by the Act of June 5,
16 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31) and the Acts of June 9, 1930, and
17 June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31-40), section 531 (a)
18 of the Act of August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620) and section
19 508 (a) of the Act approved August 10, 1939 (53 Stat.
20 1381), \$3,200,000: *Provided, That the apportionment to*
21 *the States shall be computed in accordance with the Acts*
22 *approved June 2, 1920, June 5, 1924, June 9, 1930, June*
23 *30, 1932, August 14, 1935, and August 10, 1939, on the*
24 *basis of not to exceed \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year 1944.*

25 Promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons dis-

1 abled in industry in Hawaii: For extending to the Territory
2 of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to pro-
3 vide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons
4 disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended
5 (29 U. S. C. 31-44), in accordance with the provisions of
6 the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain
7 laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924
8 (29 U. S. C. 45), \$5,000.

9 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
10 shall be available for actual transportation and not to exceed
11 \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of
12 persons serving, while away from their homes with-
13 out other compensation from the United States, in an
14 advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education, in an
15 amount not exceeding \$10,000.

16 Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of disabled resi-
17 dents of the District of Columbia: For personal services,
18 printing and binding, travel and subsistence, and payment of
19 expenses of training, placement, and other phases of re-
20 habilitating disabled residents of the District of Columbia
21 under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide
22 for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the
23 District of Columbia", approved February 23, 1929 (45
24 Stat. 1260), as amended by the Act approved April 17,
25 1937 (50 Stat. 69), \$25,000.

1 Salaries and expenses, vocational rehabilitation: For
 2 carrying out the provisions of section 6 of the Act entitled
 3 "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabili-
 4 tation of persons disabled in industry, and so forth", ap-
 5 proved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), and the Acts of
 6 June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), June 9, 1930, and June
 7 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31, 40), August 14, 1935 (49 Stat.
 8 620), and August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), and for carry-
 9 ing out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to
 10 authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by
 11 blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the
 12 blind, and for other purposes", approved June 20, 1936 (49
 13 Stat. 1559, 1560), \$95,000.

14 Vocational Education

15 Further development of vocational education: For car-
 16 rying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act
 17 entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of
 18 vocational education in the several States and Territories",
 19 approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488-1490), \$14,200,000:
 20 *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be com-
 21 puted on the basis of not to exceed \$14,483,000 for the fiscal
 22 year 1944, as authorized by the Act approved June 8, 1936.

23 For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits
 24 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion
 25 of vocational education, and so forth", approved February

1 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the
 2 provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the pro-
 3 visions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved
 4 March 10, 1924 (20 U. S. C. 29), \$30,000.

5 For extending to Puerto Rico the benefits of the Act
 6 entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational
 7 education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20
 8 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the
 9 Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws
 10 relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to
 11 Puerto Rico", approved March 3, 1931 (20 U. S. C.
 12 11-18; 29 U. S. C. 31-35; 20 U. S. C. 30), \$105,000.

13 Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions
 14 of section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the
 15 promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved
 16 February 23, 1917, as amended by the Act of October 6,
 17 1917 (20 U. S. C. 15), and of section 4 of the Act entitled
 18 "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational
 19 education in the several States and Territories", approved
 20 June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488), \$362,680.

21 Education and Training, Defense Workers (National
 22 Defense)

23 Payments to States, and so forth (national defense):
 24 For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public
 25 agencies operating public educational facilities, and, where

1 hereinafter authorized, to vocational schools exempt from
 2 taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue
 3 Code, colleges and universities, for the furtherance of the
 4 education and training of defense workers, through certifica-
 5 tion from time to time, in accordance with regulations pro-
 6 mulgated by the United States Commissioner of Education
 7 (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") under the
 8 supervision and direction of the ~~(12) Federal Security Admin-~~
 9 ~~istrator~~ *Chairman of the War Manpower Commission* and
 10 approved by the President, by the Commissioner to the
 11 Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or
 12 the name of such school, college, or university to whom
 13 payment is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such
 14 payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the
 15 General Accounting Office as follows:

16 (1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than col-
 17 lege grade provided by such agencies in vocational schools,
 18 including vocational schools exempt from taxation under
 19 section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by such
 20 vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by them and
 21 approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include
 22 only courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War
 23 Manpower Commission as supplementary to employment in
 24 occupations essential to the national defense, and types of

1 preemployment and refresher courses similarly approved for
2 workers preparing for such occupations and selected from the
3 public employment office registers, and for the cost of voca-
4 tional courses of types similarly approved of less than college
5 grade in private vocational schools (regardless of tax liabil-
6 ity) and in other private facilities where equipment for
7 training is available, including not to exceed \$5,000,000 for
8 payment to such agencies for rental of additional space and
9 for the acquisition by purchase, rental, gift, or otherwise of
10 new or used equipment found necessary by the Commissioner
11 for carrying out the approved plans, \$90,000,000.

12 (2) For the cost of short courses of college grade
13 provided by degree-granting colleges and universities pur-
14 suant to plans submitted by them and approved by the
15 Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses of types
16 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
17 sion designed to meet the shortage of engineers, chemists,
18 physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to
19 the national defense, and such plans may provide for regional
20 coordination of the defense training program of the partici-
21 pating colleges and universities, \$25,000,000: *Provided*,
22 That only colleges and universities which operate under char-
23 ters which exempt their educational property from taxation
24 and public degree-granting educational institutions shall be
25 eligible to receive funds herefrom: *Provided further*, That

1 not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any
2 school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase and
3 rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space
4 found by the Commissioner necessary to carry out its ap-
5 proved plan.

6 (3) For the cost of vocational courses in food produc-
7 tion and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and
8 farm-labor training of less than college grade designed to
9 give general preemployment mechanical training and to assist
10 in attaining the production goals for those farm commodities
11 designated from time to time in the food-for-freedom program
12 promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture
13 pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved
14 by the Commissioner, \$12,500,000, of which not to exceed
15 15 per centum shall be available for payment to such agen-
16 cies for purchase and rental of equipment and rental of space.

17 Visual aids for war training (national defense) : For all
18 necessary expenses of the Office of Education in procuring
19 and making available, for reproduction and use, visual aid
20 instructional units, consisting of motion-picture films, lantern
21 slides, slide films, and film loops, for training in occupations
22 essential to the war effort (each such occupation to be
23 approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-
24 sion) , including personal services in the District of Columbia
25 and elsewhere; travel expenses; printing and binding,

1 \$2,000,000, of which amount not to exceed \$10,000 may
2 be transferred to appropriations for salaries and miscel-
3 laneous expenses of the War Manpower Commission:
4 *Provided*, That copies of slides and films (13) *hereafter made*
5 shall be sold at a price sufficient to pay the whole cost of
6 production of such slides and films.

7 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all
8 administrative expenses necessary to enable the Office
9 of Education to carry out the foregoing program of education
10 and training of defense workers, including personal services
11 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses,
12 printing and binding, and not to exceed \$10,000 for the pay-
13 ment of actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per
14 diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
15 serving, while away from their homes, without other com-
16 pensation from the United States, in an advisory capac-
17 ity to the Commissioner, \$1,100,000: *Provided*, That
18 the Commissioner shall transmit to Congress quarterly
19 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, a report
20 of the defense training programs which operate under
21 his administration, as provided for in this Act, such reports
22 to show the distribution of Federal funds and activities by
23 States, types of programs, and numbers of persons trained.
24 In the selection of trainees under the provisions of

1 paragraph 1, no maximum age limit for trainees shall be
2 established.

3 No trainee under the appropriations provided for in the
4 foregoing paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 shall be discriminated
5 against because of sex, race, or color, and, where separate
6 schools are required by law for separate population groups,
7 to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable
8 provisions shall be made for facilities and training of like
9 quality.

10 Selection of trainees under the foregoing programs of
11 training shall be based upon the existing and anticipated
12 need for defense workers in occupations essential to the
13 national defense.

14 Not to exceed an aggregate of \$4,000 of the amount
15 appropriated in this title for traveling expenses may be used
16 for expenses of attendance at meetings of educational asso-
17 ciations and other organizations concerned with vocational
18 education.

19 All appropriations for vocational education under the
20 Office of Education in this Act shall be used exclusively
21 for vocational education purposes.

22 The commissioner may delegate to any officer in the
23 Office of Education any of his powers or duties hereunder.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

1
2 Division of Venereal Diseases: For the maintenance and
3 expenses of the Division of Venereal Diseases, established by
4 sections 3 and 4, chapter XV, of the Act approved July 9,
5 1918 (42 U. S. C. 24, 25), and for the purpose of carrying
6 out the provisions of the Act of May 24, 1938 (52 Stat.
7 439-440), including personal services in the District of
8 Columbia and elsewhere; items otherwise properly chargeable
9 to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses
10 for the Public Health Service; purchase of reports, docu-
11 ments, and other material for publication and of reprints
12 from State, city, and private publications; purchase (not
13 to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
14 senger-carrying automobiles for official use in field work,
15 \$12,367,000, of which not to exceed \$142,212 may be
16 transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, com-
17 missioned officers, Public Health Service".

18 Grants to States for public-health work: For the purpose
19 of assisting States, counties, health districts, and other politi-
20 cal subdivisions of the States in establishing and maintaining
21 adequate public-health services, including the training of
22 personnel for State and local health work, as authorized in
23 sections 601 and 602, title VI, of the Social Security Act,
24 approved August 14, 1935, as amended (49 Stat. 634).
25 \$11,000,000.

1 (14) Training for nurses (national defense): For the cost,
 2 including subsistence, including cash allowances to trainees
 3 as provided by Public No. (H. R. 2664 Seventy-eighth
 4 Congress), of refresher, student nurse and postgraduate nurs-
 5 ing courses, including courses in midwifery, provided by pub-
 6 lic agencies operating public educational facilities and by hos-
 7 pitals and nursing schools in accordance with plans submitted
 8 by them and approved by the Surgeon General of the Public
 9 Health Service, at hospitals with recognized schools of nurs-
 10 ing, and, where necessary, in the case of postgraduate courses
 11 at other institutions, for approved persons who have been
 12 licensed to practice as registered nurses under the laws of a
 13 State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, \$3,500,000.
 14 payment thereof to be made through certification from time
 15 to time in accordance with regulations promulgated by the
 16 Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service
 17 under the supervision and direction of the Federal Security
 18 Administrator and approved by the President, by said Sur-
 19 geon General to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name
 20 of such agency, nursing school, or hospital to whom payment
 21 is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment
 22 to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General
 23 Accounting Office.

24 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all gen-
 25 eral administrative expenses necessary to enable the Public

1 Health Service to carry out the foregoing program of nurs-
 2 ing courses, including personal services in the District of
 3 Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses, and printing
 4 and binding, \$50,000.

5 *Training for nurses (national defense): For carrying*
 6 *out the purposes of the Act of June 15, 1943 (Public Law*
 7 *74, Seventy-eighth Congress), \$45,000,000, of which not to*
 8 *exceed \$650,000 shall be available for administrative ex-*
 9 *penses, including printing and binding; personal services in*
 10 *the District of Columbia; maintenance, repair, and opera-*
 11 *tion of passenger-carrying automobiles; advertising in news-*
 12 *papers, magazines, and periodicals without regard to the*
 13 *Act of March 4, 1921 (42 U. S. C. 33); and items other-*
 14 *wise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscel-*
 15 *laneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health*
 16 *Service.*

17 Interstate quarantine service: For cooperation with
 18 State and municipal health authorities in the prevention of
 19 the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in interstate
 20 traffic, including the purchase of one and maintenance,
 21 repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles,
 22 \$28,000.

23 Prevention of epidemics: To enable the President, in
 24 case only of threatened or actual epidemic of infectious or
 25 contagious disease, to aid State and local boards or otherwise

1 in his discretion, in preventing and suppressing the spread of
2 the same and in such emergency in the execution of any
3 quarantine laws which may be then in force, including the
4 maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying
5 automobiles, \$300,480.

6 Emergency health and sanitation activities (national
7 defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Surgeon
8 General of the Public Health Service to conduct independ-
9 ently or to assist State and local health authorities in health
10 and sanitation activities (1) in areas adjoining military and
11 naval reservations, (2) in areas where there are concentra-
12 tions of military and naval forces, (3) in areas adjoining
13 Government and private industrial plants engaged in defense
14 work, and (4) in private industrial plants engaged in defense
15 work, to provide emergency health and sanitation services
16 in Government industrial plants engaged in defense work and
17 in areas adjoining United States military and naval reserva-
18 tions outside the United States, and to perform the functions
19 of the Public Health Service under the facility security
20 program authorized by Executive Order Numbered 9165;
21 such expenses to include personal services in the District
22 of Columbia and elsewhere, maintenance and operation of
23 passenger-carrying automobiles, stationery, travel, printing
24 and binding, the purchase of oils, larvicides, and other diluents

1 without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, and
2 items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation
3 for miscellaneous and contingent expenses of the Public
4 Health Service, \$9,729,000, of which not to exceed \$53,686
5 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth,
6 commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

7 Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals: For
8 medical examinations, including the amount necessary for
9 the medical inspection of aliens, as required by section 16
10 of the Act of February 5, 1917 (8 U. S. C. 152), medical,
11 surgical, and hospital services and supplies, including pros-
12 thetic and orthopedic supplies to be furnished under regu-
13 lations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Se-
14 curity Agency for beneficiaries (other than patients of the
15 Veterans' Administration) of the Public Health Service and
16 persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
17 under the quarantine or immigration laws and regulations,
18 including necessary personnel and reserve commissioned of-
19 ficers of the Public Health Service, personal services in the
20 District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the furnishing
21 and laundering of white duck coats, trousers, smocks, aprons,
22 and caps to employees whose duties make necessary the
23 wearing of same, maintenance, minor repairs, equipment,
24 leases, fuel, lights, water, freight, transportation and travel,
25 the maintenance and operation of motortrucks and passenger

1 motor vehicles for use in field work and one for use in
2 the District of Columbia, purchase of ambulances, trans-
3 portation, care, maintenance, and treatment of lepers, includ-
4 ing transportation to their homes in the continental United
5 States of recovered indigent leper patients, court costs,
6 and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or
7 hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent
8 persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane,
9 and reasonable burial expenses (not exceeding \$100 for any
10 patient dying in hospital), \$10,510,700, of which sum not
11 to exceed \$88,700 shall be available for the furnishing by
12 the Public Health Service to and at the request of any
13 Federal department or independent establishment, including
14 Government-owned corporations, of coordinating and con-
15 sultative services with respect to methods and standards for
16 operating emergency health facilities in such department or
17 establishment, including in-service training of such emer-
18 gency health facility personnel, and for providing employees
19 of such agencies (1) tuberculosis and psychiatric examina-
20 tions and (2) health and nutrition instruction through lec-
21 tures and demonstrations, and for printing and binding and
22 travel expenses in connection therewith: *Provided*, That the
23 Immigration and Naturalization Service shall permit the
24 Public Health Service to use the hospitals at Ellis Island
25 Immigration Station for the care of Public Health Service

1 patients free of expense for physical upkeep, but with a
2 charge of actual cost of fuel, light, water, telephone, and
3 similar supplies and services, to be covered into the proper
4 Immigration Service appropriations; and money collected
5 by the Immigration Service on account of hospital expenses
6 of persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service
7 under the immigration laws and regulations shall be covered
8 into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts: *Provided further,*
9 That no part of this sum shall be used for the quarantine
10 service (except for persons detained in hospitals of the Public
11 Health Service at points where no quarantine hospital facilities
12 are available), the prevention of epidemics, or scientific
13 work of the character provided for under other appropriations
14 for the Public Health Service.

15 Division of mental hygiene: For carrying out the provisions
16 of section 4 of the Act of June 14, 1930 (21
17 U. S. C. 196, 225); for maintenance and operation of the
18 United States Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington,
19 Kentucky, and the United States Public Health Service
20 Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, in accordance with the
21 provisions of the Act of January 19, 1929 (21 U. S. C.
22 221-237), including personal services in the District of
23 Columbia (not to exceed \$23,982) and elsewhere; traveling
24 expenses; firearms and ammunition; necessary supplies
25 and equipment; reimbursement to the working capital fund

1 for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities;
2 subsistence and care of inmates; expenses incurred in pur-
3 suing and identifying escaped inmates, including rewards
4 for their capture; expenses of interment or transporting
5 remains of deceased inmates including the remains of persons
6 voluntarily admitted; purchase and exchange of farm prod-
7 ucts and livestock; lawbooks, books of reference, and not to
8 exceed \$100 for newspapers and periodicals; furnishing
9 and laundering of uniforms and other distinctive wearing
10 apparel necessary for employees in the performance of their
11 official duties; transportation and subsistence allowance when
12 necessary, within continental United States and under regula-
13 tions approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security
14 Agency, of persons voluntarily admitted and discharged
15 as cured; tobacco for inmates; purchase (not to exceed two),
16 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled
17 passenger-carrying vehicles, \$1,109,680, and the Surgeon
18 General is authorized to utilize Government-owned automo-
19 tive equipment in transporting, to and from school, children
20 of Public Health Service personnel on duty at the Public
21 Health Service hospitals at Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexing-
22 ton, Kentucky, who have quarters for themselves and their
23 families on the station reservations.

24 Foreign quarantine service: For maintenance and or-
25 dinary expenses of United States quarantine stations and sup-

1 plementary activities abroad, including personal services in
2 the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the maintenance,
3 repair, and operation of motortrucks and motor-propelled
4 passenger-carrying vehicles for official use in field work,
5 \$1,250,000.

6 National Institute of Health: For necessary expenses,
7 not appropriated for elsewhere, of the National Institute of
8 Health, its branches and field offices, including maintenance
9 of buildings; for regulating the propagation and sale of viruses,
10 serums, toxins, and analogous products, including arsphen-
11 amines and other organic arsenic compounds therapeutically
12 analogous thereto; for the preparation of curative and diag-
13 nostic products; and for carrying out the provisions of section
14 603 of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935,
15 and section 1 of the Act of August 14, 1912; such expenses
16 to include personal and other services in the District of
17 Columbia and elsewhere; the purchase, repair, and cleaning
18 of uniforms for the guard force; items otherwise properly
19 chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and con-
20 tingent expenses for the Public Health Service; the purchase
21 (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of
22 passenger-carrying automobiles; and the purchase of reprints
23 of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and
24 journals, \$2,025,020, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may
25 be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation

1 "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health
2 Service".

3 States Relations Division: For all necessary expenses
4 of the States Relations Division in connection with grants
5 to States under title VI of the Social Security Act, approved
6 August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal and other
7 services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere and items
8 otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for mis-
9 cellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health
10 Service, and the maintenance, repair, and operation of pas-
11 senger-carrying automobiles, \$306,800, of which not to ex-
12 ceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account
13 to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned
14 officers, Public Health Service".

15 National Cancer Institute: For carrying into effect the
16 provisions of section 7 (b) of the National Cancer Institute
17 Act, approved August 5, 1937, \$530,000, including the pur-
18 chase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published
19 in periodicals and journals.

20 Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth: For pay,
21 allowance, and commutation of quarters for not to exceed
22 568 regular active commissioned officers (including the Sur-
23 geon General, Assistant to the Surgeon General, and assistant
24 surgeons general) and for pay of regular commissioned offi-
25 cers on waiting orders, \$2,822,000: *Provided*, That the above

1 limitation on the number of regular active commissioned
2 officers may be exceeded by the number (not in excess of
3 thirty) of regular active commissioned officers assigned to
4 Federal penal and correctional institutions.

5 Salaries, Office of Surgeon General: For personal serv-
6 ices, \$450,000.

7 Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: For miscel-
8 laneous and contingent expenses necessary for the work of
9 the Public Health Service, including stationery supplies;
10 operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying
11 automobiles; contract stenographic reporting services; not
12 to exceed \$4,500 for the preparation of Public Health
13 exhibits, including personal services and the cost of acquir-
14 ing, transporting, and displaying exhibit materials; packing,
15 unpacking, crating, drayage, and transportation of personal
16 effects of commissioned officers on transfer from one official
17 station to another in the public interest when authorized by
18 the Surgeon General in the order directing such transfer;
19 not to exceed \$850 for lawbooks, books of reference, and
20 periodicals for the Office of the Surgeon General; nominal
21 compensation of collaborating epidemiologists and others;
22 and allowances for living quarters (not exceeding \$1,700
23 for any one person), including heat, fuel, and light, as author-
24 ized by the Act approved June 26, 1930 (5 U. S. C.
25 118a) : \$195,000.

1 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses
2 shall be available for preparation for shipment and trans-
3 portation to their former homes of remains of officers who
4 die in line of duty.

5 SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

6 Salaries and expenses: For support, clothing, and treat-
7 ment in Saint Elizabeths Hospital of persons who have be-
8 come insane since their entry into the armed forces of the
9 United States, insane beneficiaries of the United States Em-
10 ployees' Compensation Commission, and all other insane
11 persons whose admission to the hospital is authorized by law,
12 including not exceeding \$27,000 for maintenance, repair,
13 and operation of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles,
14 and not to exceed \$185,000 for repairs and improvements
15 to buildings and grounds, and not to exceed \$15,000 for
16 furnishing and laundering of such wearing apparel as may be
17 prescribed for employees in the performance of their official
18 duties, \$1,963,000, including cooperation with organizations
19 or individuals in scientific research into the nature, causes,
20 prevention, and treatment of mental illness, and including
21 maintenance and operation of necessary facilities for feeding
22 employees and others (at not less than cost), and the pro-
23 ceeds therefrom shall reimburse the appropriation for the
24 institution; and not exceeding \$1,500 of this sum may be
25 expended in the removal of patients to their friends; not ex-

ceeding \$1,500 for the purchase of such books, periodicals,
and newspapers as may be required for the purposes of the
hospital and for the medical library, and not exceeding
\$1,500 for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in
the apprehension and return to the hospital of escaped
patients: *Provided*, That so much of this sum as may be
required shall be available for all necessary expenses in ascer-
taining the residence of inmates who are not or who cease
to be properly chargeable to Federal maintenance in
the institution and in returning them to such places of resi-
dence: *Provided further*, That not exceeding \$200 additional
may be paid to two employees to provide mail facilities for
patients in the hospital: *Provided further*, That during the
fiscal year 1944 the District of Columbia, or any branch of
the Government requiring Saint Elizabeths Hospital to care
for patients for which they are responsible, shall pay by check
to the (15) Superintendent upon his written request, either in
advance or at the end of each month, all or part of the esti-
mated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may
be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Eliza-
beths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject
to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper ad-
justments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients
paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as
may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint

1 Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia govern-
2 ment, department, or establishments concerned hospital
3 monthly the actual cost of the care and maintenance of such
4 patients, and bills rendered therefor by the Superintendent
5 of Saint Elizabeths Hospital, shall be subject to audit by the
6 auditor of the District of Columbia semiannually, or in the
7 case of any department or establishment concerned other than
8 the District of Columbia, by the General Accounting Office.

9 All sums paid to the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hos-
10 pital for the care of patients that he is authorized by law to
11 receive shall be deposited to the credit on the books of the
12 Treasury Department of the appropriation made for the care
13 and maintenance of the patients at Saint Elizabeths Hospital
14 for the year in which the support, clothing, and treatment is
15 provided, and be subject to requisition upon the approval of
16 the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

17 SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

18 Grants to States for old-age assistance: For grants to
19 States for assistance to aged needy individuals, as authorized
20 in title I of the Social Security Act, approved August 14,
21 1935, as amended, \$325,000,000, of which sum such amount
22 as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such
23 title I for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to
24 March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the
25 fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in

1 the fiscal year 1944 under such title I may be made with
2 respect to any State plan approved under such title I by the
3 Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no
4 such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for
5 any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was sub-
6 mitted to the Board for approval.

7 Grants to States for aid to dependent children: For
8 grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to
9 furnish financial assistance to needy dependent children,
10 as authorized in title IV of the Social Security Act, ap-
11 proved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$65,000,000, of which
12 sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available
13 for grants under such title IV for any period in the fiscal
14 year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That
15 payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year
16 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such
17 title IV may be made with respect to any State plan ap-
18 proved under such title IV by the Social Security Board
19 prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be
20 made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the
21 quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for
22 approval.

23 Grants to States for aid to the blind: For grants to
24 States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish
25 financial assistance to needy individuals who are blind, as

1 authorized in title X of the Social Security Act, approved
2 August 14, 1935, as amended, \$9,000,000, of which sum
3 such amount as may be necessary shall be available for
4 grants under such title X for any period in the fiscal year
5 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That pay-
6 ments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943
7 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title X
8 may be made with respect to any State plan approved under
9 such title X by the Social Security Board prior to or during
10 such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect
11 to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such
12 plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

13 The appropriations herein made for "Grants to States
14 for old-age assistance", "Grants to States for aid to depend-
15 ent children", and "Grants to States for aid to the blind",
16 shall be available interchangeably for transfer of appropria-
17 tions, but no such transfer shall be made except upon approval
18 of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

19 Salaries, Bureau of Public Assistance: For personal
20 services in the Bureau of Public Assistance in the District
21 of Columbia and elsewhere, \$900,000.

22 Grants to States for unemployment compensation ad-
23 ministration: For grants to States for unemployment compen-
24 sation administration, as authorized in title III of the Social
25 Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended,

1 including rentals in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
 2 ~~(16)\$30,000,000~~ \$37,328,502, of which such amounts as
 3 may be agreed upon by the Board and the Postmaster Gen-
 4 eral, shall be used for the payment, in such manner as said
 5 parties may jointly determine, of postage for the transmission
 6 of official mail matter in connection with the unemployment
 7 compensation administration of States receiving grants here-
 8 from.

9 Salaries, Bureau of Employment Security: For personal
 10 services in the Bureau of Employment Security in the Dis-
 11 trict of Columbia and elsewhere, \$750,000.

12 Salaries, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance:
 13 For personal services in the Bureau of Old-Age and Sur-
 14 vivors' Insurance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
 15 \$17,000,000.

16 Salaries, Offices of the Social Security Board: For per-
 17 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of
 18 the Social Security Board and its several offices and bureaus,
 19 not otherwise appropriated for herein, \$3,250,000, including
 20 the salary of an executive director at the rate of \$9,500 per
 21 year.

22 Miscellaneous expenses, Social Security Board: For all
 23 expenses, not otherwise appropriated for, necessary to enable
 24 the Social Security Board to carry into effect the provisions
 25 of the Social Security Act as amended (42 U. S. C. 301-

1 1305), including public instruction and information, and the
2 procurement of information relating to the death of individuals
3 entitled to benefits, receiving benefits, or upon whose death
4 some other individual may become entitled to benefits, under
5 title II of said Act, from proper State and local officials,
6 including officials of the District of Columbia, Alaska, and
7 Hawaii or individuals designated by such State and local
8 officials, and as authorized by the Administrator for personal
9 services on a piece-work basis or otherwise in connection
10 with the procurement of such information without regard to
11 section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the provisions of
12 other laws applicable to the employment and compensation
13 of officers and employees of the United States, which ex-
14 penses shall include reproducing and photographic equip-
15 ment; periodicals; purchase and exchange of lawbooks and
16 books of reference; library membership fees or dues in or-
17 ganizations which issue publications to members only or to
18 members at a lower price than to others, payments for which
19 may be made in advance; alterations and repairs; purchase
20 (not exceeding three), operation, maintenance, and repair
21 of passenger-carrying automobiles; \$3,000,000.

22 If during the fiscal years 1943 or 1944 functions
23 are transferred by the Federal Security Administrator
24 from or between any of the said offices or bureaus, the
25 Administrator may transfer from or between the appropria-

1 tions herein made for salaries for the Social Security Board
2 the amounts necessary for personal services in connection
3 with the functions so transferred.

4 Not to exceed 5 per centum of any of the foregoing
5 appropriations for salaries for the Social Security Board may,
6 subject to the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the
7 Budget, be transferred by the Administrator to any other
8 of such appropriations, but no appropriation may be increased
9 more than 5 per centum thereby.

10 OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

11 Salaries, Office of the Administrator, \$143,000: *Pro-*
12 *vided*, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the
13 rate of \$12,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof
14 is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided*
15 *further*, That of the sum herein appropriated the Adminis-
16 trator may expend not to exceed \$2,500 for temporary em-
17 ployment of persons, by contract or otherwise, for special
18 services determined necessary by the Administrator, without
19 regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil-
20 service and classification laws.

21 Community war services: For all expenses necessary to
22 enable the Federal Security Administrator to carry out the
23 functions transferred from the Office of Defense Health and
24 Welfare Services by Executive Order Numbered 9338, dated
25 April 29, 1943, including personal services in the District of

1 Columbia and elsewhere; the temporary employment of per-
2 sons by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
3 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification
4 laws; acceptance and utilization of voluntary and uncom-
5 pensated services; printing and binding; maintenance, opera-
6 tion, and repair of passenger-carrying motor-propelled
7 vehicles; and traveling expenses, including expenses, when
8 specifically authorized by the Administrator, of attendance
9 at meetings concerned with the purposes of this appropria-
10 tion and payment of actual transportation and other necessary
11 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
12 sistence of persons serving while away from their homes
13 in an advisory capacity to the Administrator without other
14 compensation from the United States, \$1,670,000: *Provided*,
15 That the Administrator may transfer from this appropria-
16 tion to appropriations available to any unit of the Federal
17 Security Agency designated by him to perform any of the
18 functions* and* duties transferred by Executive Order
19 Numbered 9338 such sums as are necessary for the per-
20 formance of such functions and duties by such other unit.

21 Salaries, Division of Personnel Supervision and Manage-
22 ment, \$120,000.

23 Salaries, Chief Clerk's Division, \$280,000.

24 Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, \$531,380.

25 Miscellaneous expenses, Office of Administrator: For

1 miscellaneous expenses of the Office of the Administrator in
2 the District of Columbia and elsewhere (except printing and
3 binding) ; examination of estimates for appropriations in the
4 field; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, other books of
5 reference, and periodicals; library membership fees or dues in
6 organizations which issue publications to members only or to
7 members at a lower price than to others, payment for which
8 may be made in advance; and purchase, operation, maintenance,
9 and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying
10 vehicles, \$75,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may
11 transfer to this appropriation from appropriations of the
12 constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency
13 such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of
14 duplicating materials required in performance of duplicating
15 work for such constituent organizations.

16 The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall
17 be available for the Office of the Administrator in an amount
18 not to exceed \$1,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings
19 or conventions concerned with the work of the Federal Security
20 Agency, when specifically authorized by the Federal
21 Security Administrator; and not to exceed \$1,000 for payment
22 of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10
23 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away
24 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
25 capacity to the Federal Security Agency.

1 Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency: For
2 traveling expenses (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the
3 Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and con-
4 stituent organizations thereof, including actual transportation
5 expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of sub-
6 sistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away
7 from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory
8 capacity to the Federal Security Agency; expenses, when
9 specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator,
10 of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the
11 Federal Security Agency; and reimbursement, at not to
12 exceed 3 cents per mile, for travel performed by employees
13 of the Federal Security Agency in privately owned auto-
14 mobiles and within the limits of their official stations, when
15 engaged in the investigation of claims or the furnishing or
16 securing of information concerning claims or wage records
17 under title II of the Social Security Act, as amended (42
18 U. S. C. 401-409), \$1,620,000: *Provided*, That all receipts
19 from non-Federal agencies representing reimbursement for
20 subsistence and other expenses of travel of employees of the
21 Office of Education performing advisory functions to said
22 agencies shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United
23 States to the credit of this appropriation: *Provided further*,
24 That the Federal Security Administrator may hereafter dele-
25 gate to such officers and employees as he may designate for

1 the purpose all his authority in connection with the transfer
2 of personnel and household goods and effects from one official
3 station to another.

4 Printing and binding, Federal Security Agency: For
5 printing and binding (not appropriated for elsewhere) for
6 the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and
7 constituent organizations thereof, including the purchase of
8 reprints of scientific and technical articles published in peri-
9 odicals and journals, \$900,000, of which \$567,700 shall
10 be solely for printed forms, tabulating cards, and tabulating
11 forms in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

12 In order that the Administrator may effectuate reor-
13 ganization plans submitted and approved pursuant to the
14 Reorganization Act of 1939, he may transfer to the fore-
15 going appropriations under this title from funds available for
16 administrative expenses of the constituent units of the Fed-
17 eral Security Agency such sums as represent a consolidation
18 in the Office of the Administrator of any of the administrative
19 functions of said constituent units: *Provided*, That no such
20 transfer of funds shall be made unless the consolidation of
21 administrative functions will result in a reduction of adminis-
22 trative salary and other expenses and such reduction is ac-
23 companied by savings in funds appropriated to the Federal
24 Security Agency, which savings shall not be expended for

1 any other purpose but shall be impounded and returned to
2 the Treasury.

3 The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer
4 to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security
5 Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and print-
6 ing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts
7 as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred
8 shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suit-
9 able titles and shall be available for the same purposes and
10 subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from
11 which transferred: *Provided*, That balances of any amounts
12 so transferred, or any part of such balances shall, upon
13 request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appro-
14 priations for traveling expenses and printing and binding,
15 Federal Security Agency.

16 ~~(17)~~None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the
17 Social Security Board or to the Children's Bureau of the
18 Department of Labor for grants-in-aid of State agencies
19 to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said
20 agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and
21 employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said
22 agencies of any States which have established by legislative
23 enactment in accordance with the provisions of the Social
24 Security Act and have in operation a merit system and

1 classification and compensation plan covering the selection,
 2 tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, be-
 3 cause of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner
 4 of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the
 5 rates of pay of said officers or employees.

6 This title may be cited as the "Federal Security Agency
 7 Appropriation Act, 1944".

8 TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION 9 COMMISSION

10 Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the Dis-
 11 trict of Columbia, including not to exceed \$1,000 for tempo-
 12 rary experts and assistants in the District of Columbia and
 13 elsewhere, to be paid at a rate not exceeding \$8 per day, and
 14 for personal services in the field; for furniture and other
 15 equipment and repairs thereto; lawbooks, books of reference,
 16 periodicals; stationery and supplies; traveling expenses; fees
 17 and mileage of witnesses; contract stenographic reporting
 18 services; rent in the District of Columbia for the administra-
 19 tion of the Act of May 17, 1928 (45 Stat. 600) ; and miscel-
 20 laneous items; \$837,000.

21 Salaries and expenses, military bases (national defense) :
 22 For all necessary expenses of the Employees' Compensation
 23 Commission in administering the Act of August 16, 1941 (55
 24 Stat. 622), making applicable the Longshoremen's and
 25 Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 U. S. C. 901) to

1 military, air, and naval bases outside continental United
2 States, including personal services in the District of Colum-
3 bia; lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; printing
4 and binding; fees and mileage of witnesses; stenographic
5 reporting services, by contract or otherwise; purchase,
6 maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled or
7 horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles for use in the field;
8 \$25,000, together with the unexpended balance of appro-
9 priation for this purpose for the fiscal year 1943: *Provided*,
10 That section 3709, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to any
11 purchase or service outside continental United States when
12 the unit aggregate amount involved does not exceed \$500.

13 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
14 Employees' Compensation Commission, \$17,000.

15 Employees' compensation fund: For the payment of
16 compensation provided by "An Act to provide compensation
17 for employees of the United States suffering injuries while
18 in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes",
19 approved September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 785), including
20 medical examinations, traveling and other expenses, and loss
21 of wages payable to employees under sections 21 and 22; all
22 services, appliances, and supplies provided by section 9 as
23 amended, including payments to Army, Navy, and Veterans'
24 Administration hospitals; the transportation and burial ex-
25 penses provided by sections 9 and 11; and advancement of

1 costs for the enforcement of recoveries provided in sections
2 26 and 27 where necessary, accruing during the fiscal year
3 1944 or in prior fiscal years, \$6,850,000.

4 For the payment of compensation benefits (including
5 the advancement of costs for the enforcement of third party
6 recoveries, and payments to other Federal agencies for
7 medical and hospital services) authorized by the Act of
8 February 15, 1934 (5 U. S. C. 796), extending the Act
9 of September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 751), to persons render-
10 ing services as employees of the United States pursuant to
11 said Act of February 15, 1934, the Act of June 19, 1934
12 (48 Stat. 1056), and the several emergency relief and
13 National Youth Administration appropriation Acts and to
14 veterans and other persons included under title V of the
15 Act of June 29, 1936 (49 Stat. 2035), there is hereby
16 reappropriated the unexpended balance of the appropriation
17 "Employees' compensation fund emergency relief, 1943",
18 and of such special funds as have heretofore been established
19 in the Treasury pursuant to such Acts, of which \$435,820
20 shall be available for administrative expenses of the Em-
21 ployees' Compensation Commission of which latter sum not
22 to exceed \$75,000 may be added to the appropriation in
23 this Act for salaries and expenses, United States Employees'
24 Compensation Commission: *Provided*, That the Commission
25 shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment

1 and burial expenses, including transportation and other ex-
 2 penses incidental to such services, treatment and burial, to
 3 such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may
 4 be certified by the Director of such Corps as receiving hos-
 5 pital services and treatment at Government expense on
 6 June 30, 1943, and who are not entitled thereto under the
 7 Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and
 8 the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7,
 9 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services.
 10 treatment, and expenses.

11 This title may be cited as the "Employees' Compensa-
 12 tion Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

13 TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

14 Salaries: For three Board members of the National Labor
 15 Relations Board and other personal services of the Board in
 16 the District of Columbia and elsewhere necessary in perform-
 17 ing the duties imposed by law, ~~(18)~~\$1,415,000 \$1,715,000.

18 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
 19 authorized and necessary expenditures, other than salaries,
 20 of the National Labor Relations Board in performing duties
 21 imposed by law or in pursuance of law, including repairs
 22 and alterations; communication services; contract steno-
 23 graphic reporting services; lawbooks; books of reference;
 24 periodicals; and operation, maintenance, and repair of one
 25 automobile, \$478,000.

1 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
 2 the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and
 3 elsewhere, \$220,000.

4 Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all ex-
 5 penses necessary to enable thte National Labor Relations
 6 Board to perform the duties imposed upon it by law or in
 7 pursuance of law in connection with disputes involving labor
 8 in industries under the national defense program, including
 9 personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere,
 10 and other items otherwise properly chargeable to appropria-
 11 tions of the National Labor Relations Board for miscellaneous
 12 expenses and printing and binding, \$600,000. (19)No
 13 part of the funds appropriated in this title shall be used in
 14 any way in connection with a complaint case arising over an
 15 agreement between management and labor which has been
 16 in existence for three months or longer without complaint
 17 being filed.

18 This title may be cited as the "National Labor Relations
 19 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

20 TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

21 For three members of the Board, and for other author-
 22 ized expenditures of the National Mediation Board in per-
 23 forming the duties imposed by law, including contract steno-
 24 graphic reporting services; supplies and equipment; not
 25 to exceed \$200 for books of reference, and periodicals,

1 \$184,500, of which amount not to exceed \$138,790 may be
2 expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

3 Salaries and expenses, emergency panels, and so forth,
4 National Mediation Board: For all necessary expenses of the
5 National Railway Labor panel, including compensation of
6 the members thereof at not to exceed \$50 per day and \$6
7 per diem in lieu of subsistence on such days as they are
8 actually engaged in performance of the duties of the panel;
9 travel expenses of members of the panel, including such
10 expenses to and from their homes or regular places of busi-
11 ness; printing and binding; contract stenographic reporting
12 services; and personal services in the District of Columbia
13 to enable the chairman of said panel to perform his functions
14 under Executive Order Numbered 9299, \$50,000.

15 Arbitration and emergency boards: To enable the
16 National Mediation Board to pay necessary expenses of
17 arbitration boards, and emergency boards appointed by the
18 President pursuant to section 10 of the Railway Labor Act
19 approved May 20, 1926 (45 U. S. C. 160), including com-
20 pensation of members and employees of such boards, together
21 with their necessary traveling expenses and expenses actu-
22 ally incurred for subsistence while so employed, and printing
23 of awards, together with proceedings and testimony relating
24 thereto, as authorized by the Railway Labor Act, including
25 also contract stenographic reporting service, and rent of

1 quarters when suitable quarters cannot be supplied in any
 2 Federal building, the unexpended balance of previous ap-
 3 propriations for these purposes shall be available.

4 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
 5 the National Mediation Board, \$2,500.

6 NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

7 Salaries and expenses: For authorized expenditures of
 8 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, in performing the
 9 duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic re-
 10 porting services and supplies and equipment, \$235,500, of
 11 which \$62,500 shall be available only for compensation not
 12 in excess of \$50 per day and expenses of referees, and not
 13 more than \$118,680 for other personal services ~~(20): Pro-~~
 14 ~~vided, That not more than \$2,500 shall be paid during the~~
 15 ~~fiscal year 1944 to any person for services as referee.~~

16 Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for
 17 the National Railroad Adjustment Board, \$17,500.

18 This title may be cited as the "National Mediation
 19 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

20 TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

21 Salaries: For personal services in the District of Colum-
 22 bia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed
 23 by law, ~~(21)\$1,706,769~~ \$2,030,000.

24 Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all
 25 necessary expenditures, other than salaries and printing and

1 binding, of the Railroad Retirement Board in performing
 2 the duties imposed by law, including rent in the District
 3 of Columbia and elsewhere; traveling expenses, including
 4 not to exceed \$1,000 for expenses of attendance at meet-
 5 ings concerned with the work of the Board when specifically
 6 authorized by the Board; not to exceed \$2,500 for payment
 7 of actual transportation and per diem (not to exceed \$10)
 8 in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons
 9 serving while away from their homes without other com-
 10 pensation in an advisory capacity to the Railroad Retire-
 11 ment Board; repairs and alterations; contract stenographic
 12 reporting services; other fees and compensation; sup-
 13 plies and equipment (including photographic equipment);
 14 not to exceed \$5,000 for lawbooks, books of reference,
 15 periodicals, and for payment in advance when authorized
 16 by the Board for library membership in organizations which
 17 issue publications to members only or to members at a price
 18 lower than to the general public; operation, maintenance,
 19 and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles;
 20 and expenses incident to moving the office of the Board
 21 from one building to another, ~~(22)\$450,000~~ \$490,000.

22 Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the
 23 Railroad Retirement Board, \$34,000.

24 Railroad retirement account: For an amount sufficient
 25 as an annual premium for the payments required under the

1 Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, and
 2 the Railroad Retirement Act, approved June 24, 1937, and
 3 authorized to be appropriated to the railroad retirement ac-
 4 count established under section 15 (a) of the latter Act,
 5 \$262,720,000, of which \$20,774,000 shall be immediately
 6 available: *Provided*, That such total amount shall be avail-
 7 able until expended for making payments required under
 8 said retirement Acts, and the amount not required for current
 9 payments shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury
 10 in accordance with the provisions of said Railroad Retirement
 11 Act of June 24, 1937.

12 This title may be cited as the "Railroad Retirement
 13 Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

14 TITLE VII—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESI-
 15 DENT—OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGE-
 16 MENT

17 WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

18 General administration: For all necessary expenses for
 19 the general administration of the War Manpower Commis-
 20 sion, including not to exceed \$10,000 for the employment of
 21 aliens, not to exceed \$160,000 for printing and binding,
 22 and not to exceed \$1,098,214 for travel expenses,
 23 ~~(23)\$9,994,800~~ \$12,177,000 (24): *Provided*, That no part
 24 of this appropriation shall be available to pay the salary of any
 25 person at the rate of \$4,500 per annum or more unless such

1 person shall have been appointed by the President, by and
 2 with the advice and consent of the Senate.

3 APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

4 Apprentice training service: For all expenses necessary
 5 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
 6 to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training.
 7 including printing and binding (not to exceed \$3,000),
 8 and travel expenses (not to exceed \$100,000), ~~(25)\$465,500~~
 9 \$500,000.

10 Apprentice training service (national defense): For
 11 all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War
 12 Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging
 13 apprentice training in national defense industries, including
 14 printing and binding (not to exceed \$15,000), and travel
 15 expenses (not to exceed \$161,000), ~~(26)\$550,000~~ \$650,000.

16 EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

17 Employment office facilities and services: For all neces-
 18 sary expenses of the War Manpower Commission in connec-
 19 tion with the operation and maintenance of employment
 20 office facilities and services, and the performance of functions,
 21 duties, and powers relating to employment service transferred
 22 to the War Manpower Commission by Executive Order Num-
 23 bered 9247, including the recruitment and placement of
 24 individuals for work or training in occupations essential to
 25 the war effort; such expenses to include contract janitorial

1 services, at not to exceed \$300 for any individual; reim-
 2 bursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel
 3 performed by employees in privately owned automobiles
 4 within the limits of their official station; printing and bind-
 5 ing (not to exceed \$265,000); travel expenses (not to ex-
 6 ceed (27)\$1,980,000 \$2,275,000); and rent in the District
 7 of Columbia: *Provided*, That payment of salaries may be
 8 made to employees while taking annual and sick leave based
 9 upon unused leave accrued under State regulations found by
 10 the Social Security Board to conform to the requirements of
 11 title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and on the
 12 basis of State employment which had been financed in whole
 13 or in part from grants under title III of said Act, including
 14 payment for accrued leave to be substituted for leave without
 15 pay taken between January 1, 1942, and June 30, 1942,
 16 which payment shall not exceed in any case the amount
 17 payable for such purposes under Federal laws with respect
 18 to the maximum accumulation of such leave: *Provided fur-*
 19 *ther*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission
 20 may transfer funds from this appropriation to the Social
 21 Security Board for "grants to States for unemployment com-
 22 pensation administration" as authorized in title III of the
 23 Social Security Act, as amended, to meet costs incurred by
 24 States in making available to the War Manpower Commis-
 25 sion premises, equipment, supplies, facilities, and services,

1 needed by the Commission in the operation and maintenance
 2 of employment office facilities and services, any sum so trans-
 3 ferred and not expended in accordance with this proviso
 4 to be retransferred to this appropriation, ~~(28)~~\$45,500,000
 5 \$50,500,000 ~~(29)~~: *Provided further*, That pending the return
 6 to State control after the war emergency of the Employment
 7 Service facilities, property, and personnel loaned by the States
 8 to the United States Employment Service, no portion of the
 9 sum herein appropriated shall be expended by any Federal
 10 agency for any salary, to any individual engaged in employ-
 11 ment-service duties in any position within any local or field
 12 or State office, which substantially exceeds the salary which
 13 would apply to such position and individual if the relevant
 14 State merit system applied and if State operation of such
 15 office had continued without interruption: *Provided further*,
 16 That no portion of the sum herein appropriated shall be
 17 expended by any Federal agency for the salary of any person
 18 who is engaged for more than half of the time, as determined
 19 by the State director of unemployment compensation, in the
 20 administration of the State unemployment compensation act,
 21 including claims taking but excluding registration for work.

22 NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

23 ~~(30)~~For all necessary expenses to enable the National Youth
 24 Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the National
 25 Youth Administration and the conservation and disposition

1 of all the property of whatever type (including buildings,
2 accessories, equipment, and machinery of all types, in use
3 by said National Youth Administration, including the per-
4 sonal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere;
5 payment for accrued annual leave of employees separated
6 from the Government service due to the discontinuance of the
7 National Youth Administration operations, and such travel
8 and other necessary expenses as may be incurred in connec-
9 tion with the liquidation of the National Youth Administra-
10 tion from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made
11 to the National Youth Administration in the "Federal Se-
12 curity Agency Appropriation Act of 1943" not exceeding
13 \$3,000,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall be com-
14 pleted as quickly as possible, but in any event not later than
15 January 1, 1944.

16 *PAR. 1. Youth work: For all expenses necessary to*
17 *enable the National Youth Administration, which is hereby*
18 *extended to and including June 30, 1944, under the super-*
19 *vision and direction of the War Manpower Commission, to*
20 *provide employment and work training for young persons of*
21 *the ages of sixteen to twenty-four, inclusive, on workshop*
22 *and other projects approved by the Chairman of the War*
23 *Manpower Commission as needed in the prosecution of the*
24 *war in furnishing work experience and work training pre-*
25 *paratory to employment in occupations in which there is a*

1 present or potential shortage of labor, \$35,000,000, together
2 with the unexpended balance of the appropriation for youth
3 work, National Youth Administration, 1943. This appro-
4 priation shall be available for the payment of project super-
5 visory employees; the procurement and maintenance of
6 project facilities by contract or otherwise, including the pur-
7 chase of materials, supplies, and equipment; purchase of
8 two hundred and fifteen passenger-carrying automobiles; op-
9 eration of resident facilities; travel expenses (not to exceed
10 \$918,000) for travel of supervisory employees in the per-
11 formance of their official duties, and transportation of trainees
12 to, from, and between projects, including the transfer of
13 trainees to induction projects for the purpose of placing such
14 trainees in war production industries; and the examination of
15 applicants for training to determine their physical fitness for
16 subsequent employment.

17 PAR. 2. To provide continuance of part-time employ-
18 ment for needy young persons in colleges and universities,
19 to enable such persons to continue their education,
20 \$4,000,000, together with not to exceed \$1,000,000 of
21 the unexpended balance of the appropriation for part-time
22 employment of students, National Youth Administration,
23 1943.

24 PAR. 3. Salaries and expenses: For all expenses neces-
25 sary for carrying out the general administration of the

1 programs set forth in paragraph 1 and paragraph 2, includ-
2 ing not to exceed \$250,000 for travel expenses, \$2,750,000.

3 *PAR. 4. Printing and binding: For printing and binding*
4 *for the National Youth Administration, \$50,000.*

5 *PAR. 5. The Administrator of the National Youth Ad-*
6 *ministration shall, subject to the approval of the Chairman*
7 *of the War Manpower Commission, fix the monthly earnings*
8 *and hours of work for trainees engaged on work projects*
9 *financed in whole or in part from the appropriation in para-*
10 *graph 1, but such determination shall not have the effect of*
11 *establishing a national average labor cost per trainee on such*
12 *projects during the fiscal year 1944 substantially different*
13 *from the national average labor cost per such trainee on such*
14 *projects prevailing at the close of the fiscal year 1943. The*
15 *Administrator of the National Youth Administration, subject*
16 *to the approval of the Chairman of the War Manpower Com-*
17 *mission, is hereby authorized to fix monthly hours of work*
18 *for uncompensated trainees who are employed in and whose*
19 *wages are paid by private industrial concerns but who receive*
20 *training through use of project facilities as authorized in*
21 *paragraph 7 hereafter.*

22 *PAR. 6. Funds appropriated under paragraphs 1 and 2*
23 *shall be so apportioned and distributed over the period ending*
24 *June 30, 1944, and shall be so administered during such*
25 *period as to constitute the total amount that will be furnished*

1 during such period for the purposes set forth in paragraphs
2 1 and 2.

3 *PAR. 7. The National Youth Administration is author-*
4 *ized to receive reimbursements from other Federal or non-*
5 *Federal public agencies for the use of facilities and for the*
6 *cost of materials, and contributions for the operation of proj-*
7 *ects from Federal or non-Federal agencies in the form of*
8 *services, materials, or money; any money so received to be*
9 *deposited with the Treasurer of the United States. Such con-*
10 *tributions shall be expended or utilized as agreed upon be-*
11 *tween the contributing agency and the National Youth Ad-*
12 *ministration and such reimbursements shall be available for*
13 *the purposes of this appropriation. Workshop facilities and*
14 *personal services of project supervisory employees of the*
15 *National Youth Administration may be made available for*
16 *training of individuals who are employed in and whose wages*
17 *for such training are paid by private industrial concerns en-*
18 *gaged in the production of war materials or equipment: Pro-*
19 *vided, however, That individuals receiving such training shall*
20 *not be entitled to wage or salary payments from any funds*
21 *appropriated herein.*

22 *PAR. 8. The facilities and services of the United States*
23 *Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission*
24 *shall be utilized wherever possible in the selection and re-*

1 *ferral of trainees for employment and work training on*
2 *projects of the National Youth Administration.*

3 *PAR. 9. No alien shall be given employment or con-*
4 *tinued in employment on any work project prosecuted under*
5 *the appropriation in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 and no*
6 *part of the money appropriated in paragraph 1 or para-*
7 *graph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be available to pay any person*
8 *who has not made or who does not make affidavit that he is*
9 *a citizen of the United States, such affidavit to be considered*
10 *prima facie evidence of such citizenship. This paragraph*
11 *shall not apply to citizens of the Commonwealth of the Philip-*
12 *pires or to persons who have been honorably discharged from*
13 *the armed forces of the United States.*

14 *PAR. 10. No person shall be employed or retained in*
15 *employment in any administrative position, or in any super-*
16 *visory position on any project, and no compensated or un-*
17 *compensated person shall receive assistance in the form of*
18 *payments, training, or otherwise from the United States for*
19 *services rendered under the National Youth Administration,*
20 *under the appropriation in paragraph 1 or paragraph 2 or*
21 *paragraph 3 unless such person before engaging in such*
22 *employment or receiving such assistance subscribes to the*
23 *following oath:*

24 *"I, A B, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will*
25 *support and defend the Constitution of the United States*

1 against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear
2 true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obli-
3 gation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of
4 evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the
5 duties of the office (or employment) on which I am about
6 to enter (or which I now occupy). So help me God.”

7 *PAR. 11. Compensated and uncompensated administra-*
8 *tive and supervisory employees of the National Youth Ad-*
9 *ministration, designated for the purpose by the National*
10 *Youth Administrator, or his authorized representative, shall*
11 *have the general powers of notaries public in the adminis-*
12 *tration of oaths required by paragraphs 9 and 10 and the*
13 *execution and acknowledgment of other legal instruments,*
14 *and all forms of notarial acts determined by the National*
15 *Youth Administrator to be necessary for the effective prose-*
16 *cution of the National Youth Administration programs. No*
17 *fee shall be charged for oaths administered by such employees.*

18 *PAR. 12. No person who refuses prior to employment*
19 *to agree that he will accept employment in industry related*
20 *to national defense if and when offered in good faith shall*
21 *be eligible for employment on any project of the National*
22 *Youth Administration. The provisions of this paragraph*
23 *shall not apply to uncompensated trainees who are employed*
24 *in and who are paid by private industrial concerns.*

25 *PAR. 13. No portion of the appropriation in paragraph*

1 1 or paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be used to pay any
2 compensation to any person who advocates, or who is a
3 member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of
4 the Government of the United States through force or
5 violence.

6 PAR. 14. No portion of the appropriations in paragraph
7 1 or paragraph 2 or paragraph 3 shall be used to pay the
8 compensation of any civil-service employee, except persons
9 so appointed who are already employed by another agency
10 of the Government and are assigned or detailed to the
11 National Youth Administration.

12 PAR. 15. In carrying out the purposes of this appropri-
13 ation, the National Youth Administrator, or his authorized
14 representatives, subject to the approval of the Chairman
15 of the War Manpower Commission, is authorized to ac-
16 cept and utilize voluntary and uncompensated services;
17 to appoint and compensate officers and employees without
18 regard to civil-service laws or the Classification Act of 1923,
19 as amended, and to utilize, with the consent of the head
20 of the Federal agency by which they are employed, Federal
21 officers and employees, and with the consent of the State
22 or local government, State and local officers and employees
23 at such compensation as shall be determined by the National
24 Youth Administrator to be necessary without regard to

1 other laws governing the employment and compensation
2 of Federal employees.

3 *PAR. 16. Appointments in any State to Federal posi-*
4 *tions of an administrative or advisory capacity under the*
5 *appropriation in paragraph 3 shall be made from among*
6 *the bona fide citizens of that State so far as not inconsistent*
7 *with efficient administration.*

8 *PAR. 17. In making separations from the Federal*
9 *service, or furloughs without pay to last as long as three*
10 *months, of persons employed within the District of Columbia,*
11 *under the provisions of paragraph 3, the appointing power*
12 *shall give preference, as nearly as good administration will*
13 *warrant, in retention to appointees from States that have*
14 *not received their share of appointments according to popula-*
15 *tion: Provided, however, That soldiers and sailors and*
16 *marines, the widows of such, or the wives of injured soldiers,*
17 *sailors, and marines, who themselves are not qualified, but*
18 *whose wives are qualified to hold a position in the Govern-*
19 *ment service, shall be given preference in retention, in their*
20 *several grades and classes, where their ratings are good or*
21 *better.*

22 *PAR. 18. The provisions of the Act of February 15,*
23 *1934 (48 Stat. 351), as amended, relating to disability*
24 *or death compensation and benefits, shall apply to persons*

1 receiving compensation from the appropriation in paragraph
2 1 for services rendered as employees of the United States:
3 Provided, That this section shall not apply in any case
4 coming within the purview of the workmen's compensation
5 law of any State, Territory, or possession, or in which the
6 claimant has received or is entitled to receive similar benefits
7 for injury or death: Provided further, That for carrying out
8 the purposes of this paragraph there shall be made available
9 to the United States Employees' Compensation Commission
10 from the appropriation in such paragraph 1 the sum of
11 \$86,000, or so much thereof as such Commission, with the
12 approval of the Bureau of the Budget, estimates and certifies
13 to the Secretary of the Treasury will be necessary for such
14 purposes.

15 PAR. 19. The funds appropriated by paragraph 1
16 hereof shall be available for emergency hospitalization and
17 medical care, by reimbursement to Government hospitals or
18 by contract with other public or private hospitals, in cases
19 of critical illness or injury, of compensated trainees, who are
20 full-time residents of projects involving the maintenance of
21 trainees in camps or other resident facilities under the super-
22 vision of the National Youth Administration.

23 PAR. 20. If the death of any trainee, employed and
24 compensated from funds provided under paragraph 1
25 hereof, occurs while such trainee is in transit to or in

1 residence at such camp or other resident facility men-
2 tioned in paragraph 19 hereof, or while undergoing
3 hospital treatment except for injuries sustained under con-
4 ditions which are covered by the benefits of the United
5 States Employees' Compensation Act as provided for in
6 paragraph 18 hereof, the funds appropriated under para-
7 graph 1 hereof shall be available for the payment of
8 necessary expenses of preparation of the body for burial,
9 interment or cremation (not to exceed a total of \$100 in
10 any one case), and for transportation of the remains, includ-
11 ing round-trip transportation and subsistence of an escort, to
12 the home of the decedent, or to such other place as relatives
13 of the decedent may designate if the distance to such other
14 place be not greater than the distance to the home of the
15 decedent: Provided, That when the expenses of the prepara-
16 tion and disposition of the remains, or any part of such ex-
17 penses, are paid by individuals, such individuals may be
18 reimbursed therefor.

19 PAR. 21. The National Youth Administrator, subject to
20 the approval of the Chairman of the War Manpower Com-
21 mission, is authorized to consider, ascertain, adjust, determine,
22 and pay from the appropriation in paragraph 1 any claim
23 arising out of operations thereunder accruing after June 30,
24 1943, on account of damage to, or loss of, privately owned
25 property caused by the negligence of any employee of the

1 *National Youth Administration, while acting within the*
2 *scope of his employment. No claim shall be considered*
3 *hereunder which is in excess of \$500 or which is not presented*
4 *in writing within one year from the date of accrual thereof.*
5 *Acceptance by a claimant of the amount allowed on account*
6 *of his claim shall be deemed to be in full settlement thereof,*
7 *and the action upon such claim so accepted by the claimant*
8 *shall be conclusive.*

9 *PAR. 22. Any person who knowingly and with intent to*
10 *defraud the United States makes any false statement in con-*
11 *nection with any application for any project authorized in*
12 *paragraph 1, or diverts, or attempts to divert, or assists in*
13 *diverting, for the benefit of any person or persons not en-*
14 *titled thereto, any portion of the appropriations in paragraphs*
15 *1, 2, 3, or 4 or any services or real or personal property ac-*
16 *quired thereunder, or who knowingly, by means of any fraud,*
17 *force, threat, intimidation, or boycott, or discrimination on*
18 *account of race, religion, political affiliations, or membership*
19 *in a labor organization, deprives, or attempts to deprive, or*
20 *assists in depriving any person of any of the benefits to which*
21 *he may be entitled under such appropriation, shall be deemed*
22 *guilty of a felony and fined not more than \$2,000 or impris-*
23 *oned not more than two years, or both. The provisions of*
24 *this paragraph shall be in addition to, and not in substitution*
25 *for, any other provisions of existing law.*

1 *PAR. 23. All training or educational programs other than*
2 *work and training on the project location incidental to the*
3 *supervision of a work program being conducted thereon for*
4 *youth employed by the National Youth Administration on*
5 *work projects shall be under the control and supervision of*
6 *the State boards for vocational education of the several States*
7 *and shall be paid for out of appropriations made to the Office*
8 *of Education and expended by the States pursuant to plans*
9 *submitted by State boards for vocational education and ap-*
10 *proved by the Commissioner of Education.*

11 *PAR. 24. Section 3709 of the Revised Statutes shall not*
12 *be construed to apply to any purchase with funds appro-*
13 *priated for the National Youth Administration when the*
14 *aggregate amount involved in such purchase does not exceed*
15 *the sum of \$300.*

16 *PAR. 25. Whenever the Chairman of the War Man-*
17 *power Commission shall determine that the facilities of any*
18 *shop project of the National Youth Administration can con-*
19 *tribute more effectively to the prosecution of the war if oper-*
20 *ated by another department or agency of the Government,*
21 *or by another public agency, he may direct the transfer of*
22 *such facilities to such department or agency.*

23 *PAR. 26. Property and facilities which are declared*
24 *surplus to the needs of the program as provided in paragraph*
25 *1 may be transferred, upon such terms as may be approved*

1 *by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission, but*
2 *without cost to the United States for transportation or other-*
3 *wise, to school districts, municipalities, counties, States, or*
4 *other non-Federal public agencies, without regard to other*
5 *Federal law or regulation.*

6 SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

7 Salaries and expenses, Selective Service System, War
8 Manpower Commission: For all expenses necessary for the
9 operation and maintenance of the Selective Service System
10 as authorized by the Selective Training and Service Act of
11 1940 (50 U. S. C. App. 301) ; including not to exceed
12 \$640,000 for printing and binding; \$51,856,000: *Provided,*
13 That such amounts as may be necessary shall be available
14 for the planning, directing, and operation of a program of
15 work of national importance under civilian direction, either
16 independently or in cooperation with governmental or non-
17 governmental agencies, and the assignment and delivery
18 thereto of individuals found to be conscientiously opposed to
19 participation in work of the land or naval forces, which co-
20 operation with other agencies may include the furnishing of
21 funds to and acceptance of money, services, or other forms
22 of assistance from such nongovernmental agencies for the
23 more effectual accomplishment of the work; and including
24 also the pay and allowances of such individuals at rates not
25 in excess of those paid to persons inducted into the Army

1 under the Selective Service System, and such privileges as
2 are accorded such inductees: *Provided further*, That the
3 travel of persons engaged in the administration of the Selec-
4 tive Service System, including commissioned, warrant, or
5 enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or
6 their reserve components, may be ordered by the Director
7 or by such persons as he may authorize, and persons so trav-
8 eling shall be entitled to transportation and subsistence or
9 per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized by law:
10 *Provided further*, That the Director of Selective Service, in
11 prescribing per diem rates of allowance, not exceeding \$6,
12 in lieu of subsistence for officers of the Army, Navy, and
13 Marine Corps, and of the reserve components thereof, travel-
14 ing on official business and away from their designated posts
15 of duty, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 12 of the
16 Act approved June 16, 1942 (37 U. S. C. 112), is hereby
17 authorized to prescribe such per diem rates of allowance,
18 whether or not orders are given to such officers for travel to
19 be performed repeatedly between two or more places in the
20 same vicinity, and without regard to the length of time away
21 from their designated posts of duty under such orders.

22 TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

23 Training-within-industry service, War Manpower Com-
24 mission (national defense): For all expenses necessary
25 to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commis-

1 sion to promote and facilitate on-the-job training and
2 maximum utilization of workers by industries and activities
3 essential to the war by affording training to supervisory
4 personnel; including the temporary employment of persons
5 by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709
6 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classifica-
7 tion laws; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per
8 mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately
9 owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations;
10 printing and binding (not to exceed \$50,000); and travel
11 expenses (not to exceed \$300,440), \$1,686,000.

12 SEC. 702. The general provisions under the caption
13 "Executive Office of the President—Office for Emergency
14 Management", contained in the National War Agencies
15 Appropriation Act, 1944, and applicable to the constituent
16 agencies of the Office for Emergency Management con-
17 tained therein shall be applicable in the same manner to
18 the War Manpower Commission and the appropriations
19 therefor contained in this title.

20 SEC. 703. This title may be cited as the "War Man-
21 power Commission Appropriation Act, 1944."

22 TITLE VIII—GENERAL PROVISIONS

23 SEC. 801. No part of any appropriation contained in
24 this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any
25 position for which he or she has been nominated after the

1 Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said
2 person.

3 SEC. 802. No part of any appropriation contained in
4 this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any
5 person who advocates, or who is a member of an organi-
6 zation that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of
7 the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for
8 the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima
9 facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not
10 advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advo-
11 cates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States
12 by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person
13 who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that
14 advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United
15 States by force or violence and accepts employment the
16 salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation
17 contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon
18 conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or impris-
19 oned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*,
20 That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and
21 not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

22 SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training
23 of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available
24 for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after
25 cessation of hostilities in the present war.

1 SEC. 804. The appropriations and authority with respect
 2 to appropriations contained herein shall be available from
 3 and including July 1, 1943, for the purposes respectively
 4 provided in such appropriations and authority. All obliga-
 5 tions incurred during the period between June 30, 1943, and
 6 the date of the enactment of this Act in anticipation of such
 7 appropriations and authority are hereby ratified and con-
 8 firmed if in accordance with the terms thereof.

9 SEC. 805. This Act may be cited as the "Labor-Federal
 10 Security Appropriation Act, 1944".

Passed the House of Representatives June 16, 1943.

Attest:

SOUTH TRIMBLE,

Clerk.

Passed the Senate with amendments June 29 (legisla-
 tive day, May 24), 1943.

Attest:

EDWIN A. HALSEY,

Secretary.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 29, 1943

Ordered to be printed with the amendments of the
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LABOR-FEDERAL SECURITY APPROPRIATION BILL, 1944

JUNE 30, 1943.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. HARE, from the committee of conference, submitted the following

CONFERENCE REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 2935]

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 2935) making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 2, 12, 15, and 29.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, and 22, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 3:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 3, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$225,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 4:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 4, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$360,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 5:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 5, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment with the following proviso inserted at the end thereof: : *Provided further, That the*

foregoing proviso shall not be so construed as to prevent any patient from having the services of any practitioner of her own choice, paid for out of this fund, so long as State laws are complied with; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 6:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 6, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$4,400,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 9:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 9, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$595,340; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 11:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 11, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the matter inserted by said amendment insert the following: : *Provided, That this program shall end June 30, 1944;* and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 16:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 16, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$35,328,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 17:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 17, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

Restore the matter stricken out by said amendment, amended to read as follows:

None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the Social Security Board or to the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor for grants in aid of State agencies to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said agencies of any States which have established by legislative enactment and have in operation a merit system and classification and compensation plan covering the selection, tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, because of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the rates of pay of said officers or employees.

And the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 23:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 23, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$11,000,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 25:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 25, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$475,500; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 26:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 26, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$600,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 27:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 27, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$2,098,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 28:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 28, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the sum proposed insert \$47,500,000; and the Senate agree to the same.

The committee of conference report in disagreement amendments numbered 19, 24, and 30.

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Managers on the part of the Senate.

STATEMENT OF THE MANAGERS ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

The managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 2935) making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes, submit the following statement in explanation of the effect of the action agreed upon and recommended in the accompanying conference report as to each of such amendments, namely:

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Amendment No. 1, salaries: Appropriates \$386,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$352,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 2, salaries and expenses, Working Conditions Service, Division of Labor Standards (national defense): Eliminates language and appropriation of \$700,000 inserted by the Senate.

Amendment No. 3, salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair Labor Standards Act: Appropriates \$225,000, instead of \$200,000 as proposed by the House and \$253,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 4, salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare: Appropriates \$360,000, instead of \$350,000 as proposed by the House and \$378,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 5: Restores language, proposed to be stricken out, inhibiting regulations discriminating between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics amended by adding a proviso to prevent restriction on the free choice by patients of the type of practitioner desired.

Amendment No. 6, grants to States for emergency maternity and infant care (national defense): Appropriates \$4,400,000, instead of \$4,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$4,800,000 as proposed by the Senate.

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

Amendment No. 7, Food and Drug Administration, enforcement operations: Appropriates \$2,323,580 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$2,200,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 8: Appropriates \$94,400 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$90,000 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 9, salaries, Howard University: Appropriates \$595,340, instead of \$591,240 as proposed by the House and \$597,840 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 10: Changes language in paragraph making appropriations for loans to students to provide that such loans shall be made only to those persons who received loans during the fiscal year 1943.

Amendment No. 11: Provides that the student-loan program shall not continue beyond June 30, 1944, and eliminates a provision, proposed by the Senate, restricting the number of beneficiaries to 2,000.

Amendment No. 12: Provides for supervision of the Office of Education defense-training program by the Federal Security Administrator as proposed by the House instead of the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 13: Restricts application of provision requiring sale of slides and films to slides and films hereafter made.

Amendment No. 14: Provides \$45,000,000 for training of nurses as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$3,500,000 as proposed by the House, and includes language to carry into effect Public Law 74, Seventy-eighth Congress, the so-called Bolton bill.

Amendment No. 15: Provides for payment in advance by the District of Columbia of amounts due St. Elizabeths Hospital as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 16, grants to States for unemployment compensation administration: Appropriates \$35,328,000, instead of \$30,000,000 as proposed by the House and \$37,328,502 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 17: Restores a limitation proposed by the House to prevent interference by Federal agencies with the operation of State merit systems for appointment of personnel.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Amendment No. 18, salaries: Appropriates \$1,715,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$1,415,000 as proposed by the House.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Amendment No. 20: Eliminates a restriction, proposed by the House, on the amount which might be paid to any person serving as referee during any one year.

Amendment No. 21, salaries: Appropriates \$2,030,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$1,706,769 as proposed by the House.

Amendment No. 22, miscellaneous expenses: Appropriates \$490,000 as proposed by the Senate, instead of \$450,000 as proposed by the House.

WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

Amendment No. 23, general administration: Appropriates \$11,000,000, instead of \$9,994,800 as proposed by the House and \$12,177,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 25, apprentice training service: Appropriates \$475,500, instead of \$465,500 as proposed by the House and \$500,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 26, apprentice training service (national defense): Appropriates \$600,000, instead of \$550,000 as proposed by the House and \$650,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 27, travel expenses, employment office facilities and services: Allocates \$2,098,000, instead of \$1,980,000 as proposed by the House and \$2,275,000 as proposed by the Senate.

Amendment No. 28: Appropriates \$47,500,000, instead of \$45,500,000 as proposed by the House and \$50,500,000 as proposed by the Senate for employment office facilities and services.

Amendment No. 29: Restores a provision, proposed by the House, requiring the maintenance of State salary scales in the employment service during the period of Federal operation.

AMENDMENTS IN DISAGREEMENT

The following amendments are reported in disagreement. As to each of such amendments the motion authorized to be made by action of the managers on the part of the House is stated:

Amendment No. 19: Strikes from the bill a provision, inserted by the House, prohibiting the use of the funds of the National Labor Relations Board in any case involving an agreement between management and labor which has been in force more than 3 months. A motion will be made to recede from disagreement and concur in the amendment with an amendment as follows:

Restore the matter proposed to be stricken out and add at the end thereof the following:

Provided, That, hereafter, notice of such agreement shall have been posted in the plant affected for said period of three months, said notice containing information as to the location at an accessible place of such agreement where said agreement shall be open for inspection by any interested person.

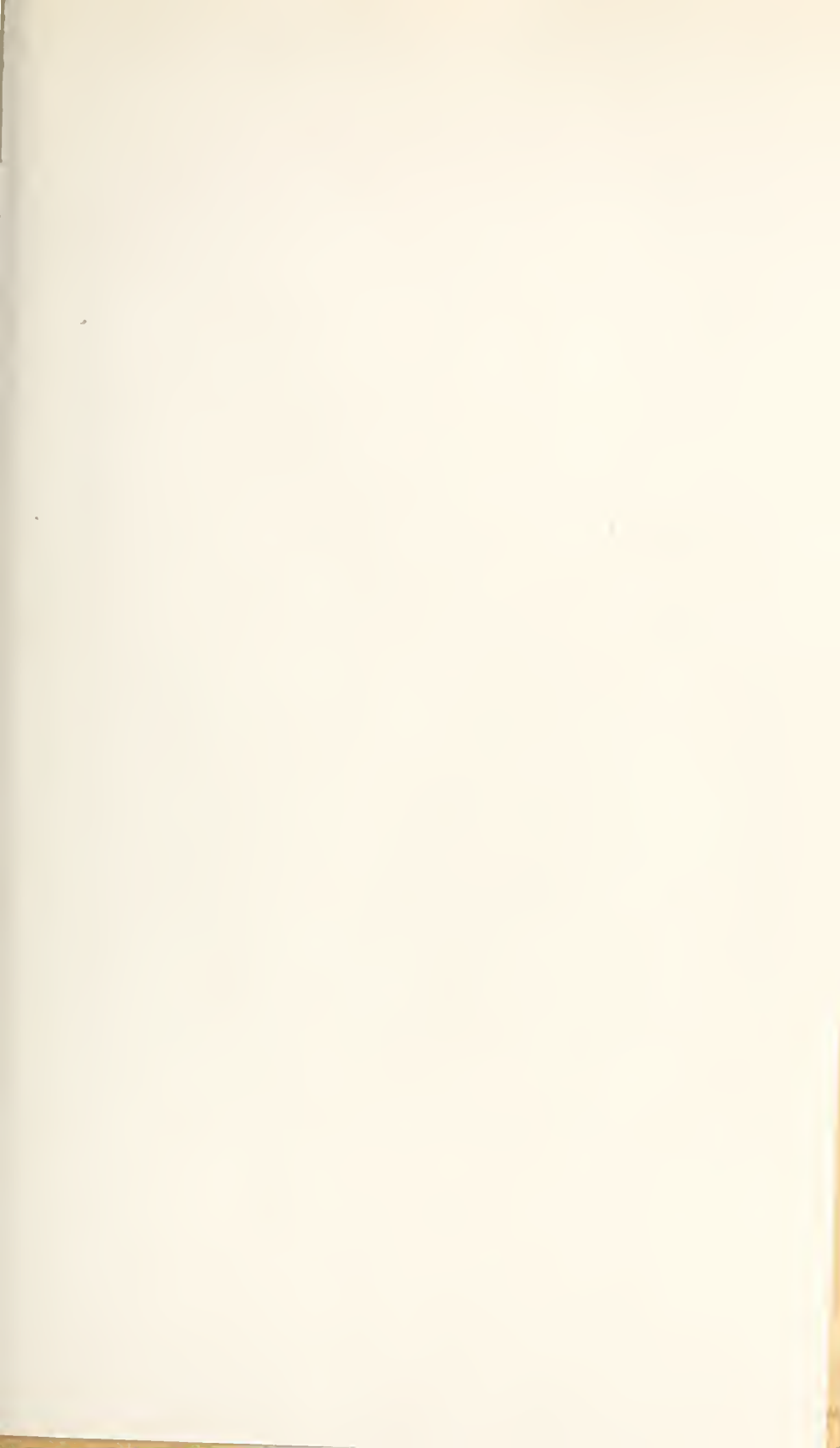
Amendment No. 24: Requires confirmation by the Senate of all persons appointed to positions the salaries of which are paid out of the appropriation for general administration of the War Manpower Commission and whose salaries are at the rate of \$4,500 per annum or more. The managers will move to insist on disagreement.

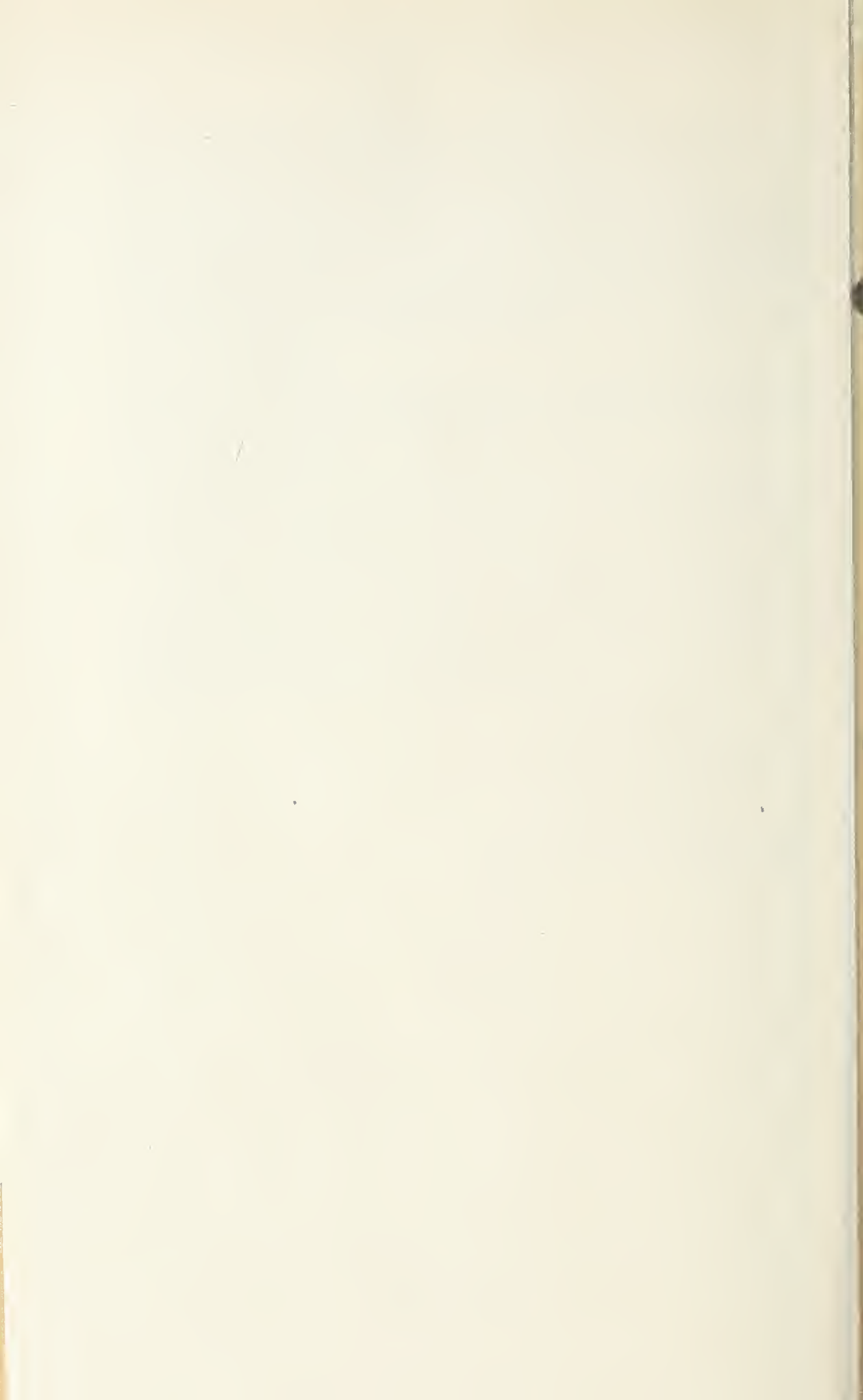
Amendment No. 30: Appropriates \$41,800,000 and reappropriates \$6,000,000 for the National Youth Administration and strikes out a provision, proposed by the House, for liquidation of the National Youth Administration. A motion will be made to recede from disagreement and concur in the Senate amendment.

BUTLER B. HARE,
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Managers on the part of the House.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY,
AND RELATED INDEPENDENT OFFICES APPROPRIA-
TION BILL, 1944

JULY 8, 1943.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. HARE, from the committee of conference, submitted the following

CONFERENCE REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 2935]

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate numbered 24 to the bill (H. R. 2935) making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have been unable to agree.

BUTLER B. HARE,
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CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
ALBERT J. ENGEL,
H. CARL ANDERSEN,

Managers on the part of the House.

PAT McCARRAN,
KENNETH McKELLAR,
HARRY S. TRUMAN,
WALLACE H. WHITE,
CLYDE M. REED,

Managers on the part of the Senate.



[PUBLIC LAW 135—78TH CONGRESS]

[CHAPTER 221—1ST SESSION]

[H. R. 2935]

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, namely:

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia, \$386,000.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and for other necessary expenses in the field, including contract stenographic reporting services, \$715,000.

Contingent expenses: For expenses of the offices and bureaus of the Department, for which appropriations for expenses are not specifically made, including the purchase of stationery, furniture, and repairs to the same, carpets, matting, oilcloths, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap, sponges, laundry, not exceeding \$1,000 for streetcar fares; purchase, maintenance, and repair of motorcycles and motor-trucks; maintenance, operation, and repair of four motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; freight and express charges; commercial and labor-reporting services; postage to foreign countries, telegraph and telephone service; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, books of reference, newspapers, and periodicals and, when authorized by the Secretary of Labor, dues for library membership in societies or associations which issue publications to members only or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members, not exceeding \$6,000; contract stenographic services; and teletype service and tolls (not to exceed \$1,100), \$166,550.

Traveling expenses: For traveling expenses under the Department of Labor, including reimbursement to employees of the Wage and Hour Division, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for expenses of travel performed by them in privately owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations in the field, \$1,092,000.

Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the Department of Labor, \$263,500.

Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For salaries and other expenses, including purchase and distribution of reports,

and of material for informational exhibits, in connection with the promotion of health, safety, employment stabilization, and amicable industrial relations for labor and industry. \$146,000.

Salaries and expenses, Safety and Health Program (national defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to conduct a program of safety and health among employees engaged in national-defense industries, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and binding, \$150,000.

The appropriation under this title for traveling expenses shall be available for expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the work of the Division of Labor Standards when called by the Division of Labor Standards with the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the Division of Labor Standards when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

Commissioners of Conciliation: For expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to exercise the authority vested in him by section 8 of the Act creating the Department of Labor (5 U. S. C. 611), including newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals; and not to exceed \$68,827 for personal services in the District of Columbia. \$444,000.

Commissioners of Conciliation (national defense) : For all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor to perform conciliation services in situations growing out of employment in industries under the national defense program, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and binding, \$1,500,000.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings, conferences, or conventions concerned with labor and industrial relations when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

Salaries and expenses: For personal services including temporary statistical clerks, stenographers, and typists in the District of Columbia, and including also experts and temporary assistants for field service outside of the District of Columbia; purchase of periodicals, documents, envelopes, price quotations, and reports and materials for reports and bulletins of said Bureau, \$1,100,000, of which amount not to exceed \$970,000 may be expended for the salary of the Commissioner and other personal services in the District of Columbia.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,000, for expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the Bureau of Labor Statistics when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the Secretary of Labor, through the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in relation to the national security and defense, to perform the functions authorized by the Act of June 13, 1888, and other Acts (29 U. S. C. 1); to continue occupational outlook surveys throughout the United States; and to conduct studies relative to problems connected with labor likely to arise upon the termination of the existing emergent conditions in connection with defense activities throughout the United States, in cooperation with the National Resources Planning Board; such expenses to include personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriations under the Department of Labor for contingent expenses, traveling expenses, and printing and binding, and not to exceed \$15,000 for the temporary employment of experts without regard to the civil service and classification laws, \$1,162,000.

CHILDREN'S BUREAU

Salaries and expenses: For expenses of investigating and reporting upon matters pertaining to the welfare of children and child life, and especially to investigate the questions of infant mortality; personal services, including experts and temporary assistants; purchase of reports and material for the publications of the Children's Bureau and for reprints from State, city, and private publications for distribution when said reprints can be procured more cheaply than they can be printed by the Government, and other necessary expenses, \$324,000, of which amount not to exceed \$289,600 may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

Salaries and expenses, child labor provisions, Fair Labor Standards Act: For all authorized and necessary expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed upon it by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals; and reimbursement to State and local agencies and their employees for services rendered, as authorized by section 11 of said Act, \$225,000.

MATERNAL AND CHILD WELFARE

Salaries and expenses, maternal and child welfare: For all authorized and necessary administrative expenses of the Children's Bureau in performing the duties imposed upon it by title V of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal services, in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; supplies; services; equipment; newspapers, books of reference, and periodicals. \$360,000: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation relating to the care of obstetrical cases which discriminates between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics: *Provided further*, That the foregoing proviso shall not be so construed as to prevent any patient from having the services of any practitioner of her own choice, paid for out of this fund, so long as State laws are complied with.

Grants to States for maternal and child health services: For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve services for promoting the health of mothers and children, as authorized in title V, part 1, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 701), as amended, \$5,820,000: *Provided*, That any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) shall not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections (a) and (b) of section 504 an amount expended or estimated to be expended by the State.

Grants to States for services for crippled children: For the purpose of enabling each State to extend and improve services for crippled children, as authorized in title V, part 2, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 711), as amended, \$3,870,000.

Grants to States for child-welfare services: For grants to States for the purpose of enabling the United States, through the Children's Bureau, to cooperate with State public-welfare agencies in establishing, extending, and strengthening public-welfare services for the care of homeless or neglected children, or children in danger of becoming delinquent, as authorized in title V, part 3, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935 (42 U. S. C. 721), as amended, \$1,510,000.

Grants to States for emergency maternity and infant care (national defense): For grants to States, including Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia, to provide, in addition to similar services otherwise available, medical, nursing, and hospital maternity and infant care for wives and infants of enlisted men in the armed forces of the United States, under allotments by the Secretary of Labor and plans developed and administered by State health agencies and approved by the Chief of the Children's Bureau, \$4,400,000.

In the administration of title V of the Social Security Act, as amended, for the fiscal year 1944, payments to the States for any quarter of the fiscal year 1944 under parts 1, 2, and 3 may be made with respect to any State plan approved under such respective parts by the Chief of the Children's Bureau prior to or during such quarter, but no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such plan is submitted to the Chief of the Children's Bureau for approval.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available, in an amount not to exceed \$11,000, for expenses of attendance of cooperating officials and consultants at conferences concerned with the administration of work of the Children's Bureau under the Fair Labor Standards Act and under title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security Act, as amended, when called by the Children's Bureau with the written approval of the Secretary of Labor, and shall be available also, in an amount not to exceed \$6,000, for expenses of attendance at meetings related to the work of the Children's Bureau when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

WOMEN'S BUREAU

Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to establish in the Department of Labor a bureau to be known as the Women's Bureau", approved June 5, 1920 (29

U. S. C. 11-16), including personal services in the District of Columbia; purchase of material for reports and educational exhibits, \$160,000.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$2,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the Women's Bureau when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

Salaries: For personal services for the Wage and Hour Division necessary in performing the duties imposed by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936 (41 U. S. C. 38), including reimbursement to State, Federal, and local agencies and their employees for services rendered, \$3,750,000, of which amount not to exceed \$675,000 (exclusive of pay of members of industry committees) may be expended for departmental salaries.

Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For necessary expenses, other than salaries, of the Wage and Hour Division in performing the duties imposed by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and by the Act to provide conditions for the purchase of supplies and the making of contracts by the United States, approved June 30, 1936 (41 U. S. C. 38), including stenographic reporting services by contract or otherwise, purchase of one and maintenance, repair, and operation outside the District of Columbia, of three motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, lawbooks, books of reference, periodicals, manuscripts and special reports, newspapers, and reimbursement to State, Federal, and local agencies and their employees for services rendered, \$250,000.

The Secretary of Labor may allot or transfer, with the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget, funds from the foregoing appropriations for the Wage and Hour Division to any other bureau or office of the Department of Labor to enable such bureau or office to perform services for the Wage and Hour Division.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available in an amount not to exceed \$4,750 for expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the Wage and Hour Division when incurred on the written authority of the Secretary of Labor.

This title may be cited as the "Department of Labor Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE II—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

AMERICAN PRINTING HOUSE FOR THE BLIND

To enable the American Printing House for the Blind more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the education of the blind in accordance with the provisions of the Act approved February 8, 1927 (20 U. S. C. 101), \$115,000.

CIVILIAN CONSERVATION CORPS

For all necessary expenses to enable the Federal Security Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the Civilian Conservation Corps and the conservation and disposition of all of the property of whatever type (including camp buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of all types) in use by said corps, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Government service due to the discontinuance of corps operations; and for such travel and other necessary expenses as may be incurred in connection with liquidation of said Civilian Conservation Corps from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made to the Civilian Conservation Corps in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1942, not exceeding \$20,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall be completed as quickly as possible but in any event not later than June 30, 1944: *Provided further*, That for the purposes hereof the provisions of the Act to establish the Civilian Conservation Corps and for other purposes approved June 23, 1937, as amended, shall continue in full force and effect to such extent as may be necessary to facilitate liquidation of such corps, and the Federal Security Administrator shall exercise the authority vested in the Director of such corps by such Act.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the Act of December 23, 1941 (Public Law 371), the Federal Security Administrator is authorized, during the fiscal year 1944, to dispose of any camp buildings, no longer needed for Civilian Conservation Corps purposes, and housekeeping and camp maintenance equipment necessary in connection therewith, by transfer with or without reimbursement, to other Federal agencies or, upon such terms as he may prescribe to any State, county, municipality, or nonprofit organization for the promotion of conservation, education, recreation, or health: *Provided*, That, in the case of buildings located on land owned by the United States, any such disposition shall be subject to the approval of the agency of the United States having jurisdiction of such lands: *And provided further*, That such buildings and equipment shall first be tendered to the War Department and Navy Department for use in prosecution of the war, or the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which Departments or agency shall have sixty days from the date of notification of availability of such buildings and equipment to accept such tender.

COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF

For support of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf, including salaries and incidental expenses, books and illustrative apparatus, and general repairs and improvements, \$155,200.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

For all necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Administration in carrying out the investigations, including collecting, reporting, and illustrating the results thereof, and performing the functions required to carry into effect the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U. S. C. 301-392); the Act approved March 2,

1897, entitled "An Act to prevent the importation of impure and unwholesome tea" (21 U. S. C. 41-50), which may hereafter be cited as the Tea Importation Act; the Act approved February 15, 1927, to regulate the importation of milk and cream into the United States, and so forth (21 U. S. C. 141-149), which may hereafter be cited as the Import Milk Act; the Federal Caustic Poison Act (15 U. S. C. 401-411); and the Act approved May 4, 1923, entitled "An Act to prohibit the shipment of filled milk in interstate or foreign commerce" (21 U. S. C. 61-64), which may hereafter be cited as the Filled Milk Act; as follows:

Enforcement operations: To enable the Federal Security Administrator to carry into effect the provisions of the above statutes, including personal services in the District of Columbia (not exceeding \$673,000) and elsewhere; purchase (not to exceed ten), operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles; purchase of chemicals, apparatus, and scientific equipment; contract stenographic reporting services; books of reference and periodicals, \$2,323,580; and the Administrator, in carrying into effect the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, is authorized hereafter to cooperate with associations and scientific societies in the revision of the United States Pharmacopoeia and in the development of methods of analysis and mechanical and physical tests necessary to carry out the work of the Food and Drug Administration and to pay the compensation and expenses of the members of the Board appointed under section 2 of the Tea Importation Act, and such compensation and expenses shall not be paid out of the appropriation for "Expenses of collecting the revenue from customs".

Salaries, sea-food inspectors: For salaries of sea-food inspectors designated in accordance with the provisions of section 10A of the Federal Food and Drugs Act, as amended by the Act of August 27, 1935 (21 U. S. C. 372a), which may hereafter be cited as section 702A of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, \$10,000.

General administration: For general administration, including personal services in the District of Columbia, \$94,400.

FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

For officers and employees and compensation for all other professional and other services that may be required and expressly approved by the Federal Security Administrator, \$490,000.

Miscellaneous expenses: For subsistence; fuel and light; not exceeding \$500 for expenses of attendance upon meetings of a technical nature, pertaining to hospital administration and medical advancement, when authorized by the Federal Security Administrator; clothing to include white cotton or duck suits for the use of internes, and cotton or duck uniforms or aprons for cooks, maids, and attendants, and laundering thereof; rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage, medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments, electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, and furniture; maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying vehicles; not exceeding \$250 for the purchase of books, periodicals, and newspapers; not to exceed \$2,000 for the special instruction of student nurses; reimbursement to the appropriations of Howard University of actual cost

of heat and light furnished, and other necessary expenses, \$196,000: *Provided*, That there shall be transferred from this appropriation to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, public buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, Public Buildings Administration", for direct expenditure by the Federal Works Agency, \$25,000 for repairs, alterations, improvement, and preservation of the buildings and grounds of Freedmen's Hospital; and that \$500 shall be transferred from this appropriation to the appropriation "Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency", and that \$2,500 shall be transferred to the appropriation "Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Public Health Service": *Provided further*, That 65 per centum of each of the foregoing appropriations for the Freedmen's Hospital shall be chargeable to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are paid, subject, however, to adjustments from time to time to be made during and at the end of the fiscal year so that the portion of each of these appropriations charged to the District of Columbia shall bear the same ratio to the total of each appropriation as the number of hospital days of service to persons who have resided in the District of Columbia for over one year on the day of admission bears to the total number of hospital days of service performed.

HOWARD UNIVERSITY

Salaries: For payment in full or in part of the salaries of the officers, professors, teachers, and other regular employees of the university, the balance to be paid from privately contributed funds, \$595,340.

Expenses, Howard University: For equipment, supplies, apparatus, furniture, cases and shelving, stationery, ice, repairs to buildings and grounds, and for other necessary expenses of the university, \$156,000.

OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Further endowment of colleges of agriculture and the mechanic arts: For carrying out the provisions of section 22 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935 (49 Stat. 436), \$2,480,000.

Library service: For making surveys, studies, investigations, and reports regarding public, school, college, university, and other libraries; fostering coordination of public and school library service; coordinating library service on the national level with other forms of adult education; developing library participation in Federal projects; fostering Nation-wide coordination of research materials among the more scholarly libraries, inter-State library cooperation, and the development of public, school, and other library service throughout the country, and for the administrative expenses incident to performing these duties, including salaries of such assistants, experts, clerks, and other employees in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, as the Commissioner of Education may deem necessary, purchase of miscel-

laneous supplies, equipment, stationery, postage on foreign mail, books of reference, lawbooks, and periodicals, and all other necessary expenses, \$20,800.

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia, \$294,400.

General expenses: For general expenses of the Office of Education, including lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; purchase, distribution, and exchange of educational documents, motion-picture films, and lantern slides; collection, exchange, and cataloging of educational apparatus and appliances, articles of school furniture and models of school buildings illustrative of foreign and domestic systems and methods of education, and repairing the same, \$12,000.

The unexpended balance of the appropriation for loans to students in technical and professional fields, 1943, is hereby reappropriated and made available for the same purposes and under the same conditions as provided in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act 1943, except that such loans shall be made only to those students who received loans during the fiscal year 1943, and of the sum reappropriated not to exceed \$54,000 shall be available for administrative expenses, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; purchase and exchange of equipment; printing and binding; travel expenses, including not to exceed \$1,200 for actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons serving while away from their homes, without other compensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education: *Provided*, That this program shall end June 30, 1944.

Vocational Rehabilitation

Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry: For carrying out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment", approved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), as amended by the Act of June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), and the Acts of June 9, 1930, and June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31-40), section 531 (a) of the Act of August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620), and section 508 (a) of the Act approved August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), \$3,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be computed in accordance with the Acts approved June 2, 1920, June 5, 1924, June 9, 1930, June 30, 1932, August 14, 1935, and August 10, 1939, on the basis of not to exceed \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year 1944.

Promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry in Hawaii: For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended (29 U. S. C. 31-44), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 45), \$5,000.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available for actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per diem in

lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away from their homes without other compensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity to the Commissioner of Education, in an amount not exceeding \$10,000.

Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the District of Columbia: For personal services, printing and binding, travel and subsistence, and payment of expenses of training, placement, and other phases of rehabilitating disabled residents of the District of Columbia under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled residents of the District of Columbia", approved February 23, 1929 (45 Stat. 1260), as amended by the Act approved April 17, 1937 (50 Stat. 69), \$25,000.

Salaries and expenses, vocational rehabilitation: For carrying out the provisions of section 6 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry, and so forth", approved June 2, 1920 (29 U. S. C. 35), and the Acts of June 5, 1924 (29 U. S. C. 31), June 9, 1930, and June 30, 1932 (29 U. S. C. 31, 40), August 14, 1935 (49 Stat. 620), and August 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 1381), and for carrying out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to authorize the operation of stands in Federal buildings by blind persons, to enlarge the economic opportunities of the blind, and for other purposes", approved June 20, 1936 (49 Stat. 1559, 1560), \$95,000.

Vocational Education

Further development of vocational education: For carrying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488-1490), \$14,200,000: *Provided*, That the apportionment to the States shall be computed on the basis of not to exceed \$14,483,000 for the fiscal year 1944, as authorized by the Act approved June 8, 1936.

For extending to the Territory of Hawaii the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws to the Territory of Hawaii", approved March 10, 1924 (20 U. S. C. 29), \$30,000.

For extending to Puerto Rico the benefits of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 11-18), in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to extend the provisions of certain laws relating to vocational education and civilian rehabilitation to Puerto Rico", approved March 3, 1931 (20 U. S. C. 11-18; 29 U. S. C. 31-35; 20 U. S. C. 30), \$105,000.

Salaries and expenses: For carrying out the provisions of section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational education, and so forth", approved February 23, 1917, as amended by the Act of October 6, 1917 (20 U. S. C. 15), and of section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further develop-

ment of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936 (49 Stat. 1488), \$362,680.

Education and Training, Defense Workers (National Defense)

Payments to States, and so forth (national defense) : For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public agencies operating public educational facilities, and, where hereinafter authorized, to vocational schools exempt from taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, colleges and universities, for the furtherance of the education and training of defense workers, through certification from time to time, in accordance with regulations promulgated by the United States Commissioner of Education (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") under the supervision and direction of the Federal Security Administrator and approved by the President, by the Commissioner to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or the name of such school, college, or university to whom payment is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General Accounting Office as follows:

(1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than college grade provided by such agencies in vocational schools, including vocational schools exempt from taxation under section 101 (6) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by such vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by them and approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include only courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission as supplementary to employment in occupations essential to the national defense, and types of preemployment and refresher courses similarly approved for workers preparing for such occupations and selected from the public employment office registers, and for the cost of vocational courses of types similarly approved of less than college grade in private vocational schools (regardless of tax liability) and in other private facilities where equipment for training is available, including not to exceed \$5,000,000 for payment to such agencies for rental of additional space and for the acquisition by purchase, rental, gift, or otherwise of new or used equipment found necessary by the Commissioner for carrying out the approved plans, \$90,000,000.

(2) For the cost of short courses of college grade provided by degree-granting colleges and universities pursuant to plans submitted by them and approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses of types approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission designed to meet the shortage of engineers, chemists, physicists, and production supervisors in fields essential to the national defense, and such plans may provide for regional coordination of the defense training program of the participating colleges and universities, \$25,000,000: *Provided*, That only colleges and universities which operate under charters which exempt their educational property from taxation and public degree-granting educational institutions shall be eligible to receive funds herefrom: *Provided further*, That not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase and rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space found by the Commissioner necessary to carry out its approved plan.

(3) For the cost of vocational courses in food production and conservation, mechanics, farm-machinery repair, and farm-labor training of less than college grade designed to give general preemployment mechanical training and to assist in attaining the production goals for those farm commodities designated from time to time in the food-for-freedom program promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved by the Commissioner, \$12,500,000, of which not to exceed 15 per centum shall be available for payment to such agencies for purchase and rental of equipment and rental of space.

Visual aids for war training (national defense): For all necessary expenses of the Office of Education in procuring and making available, for reproduction and use, visual aid instructional units, consisting of motion-picture films, lantern slides, slide films, and film loops, for training in occupations essential to the war effort (each such occupation to be approved by the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission), including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; travel expenses; printing and binding, \$2,000,000, of which amount not to exceed \$10,000 may be transferred to appropriations for salaries and miscellaneous expenses of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided*, That copies of slides and films hereafter made shall be sold at a price sufficient to pay the whole cost of production of such slides and films.

Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all administrative expenses necessary to enable the Office of Education to carry out the foregoing program of education and training of defense workers, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, traveling expenses, printing and binding, and not to exceed \$10,000 for the payment of actual transportation and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away from their homes, without other compensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity to the Commissioner, \$1,100,000: *Provided*, That the Commissioner shall transmit to Congress quarterly during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, a report of the defense training programs which operate under his administration, as provided for in this Act, such reports to show the distribution of Federal funds and activities by States, types of programs, and numbers of persons trained.

In the selection of trainees under the provisions of paragraph 1, no maximum age limit for trainees shall be established.

No trainee under the appropriations provided for in the foregoing paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 shall be discriminated against because of sex, race, or color, and, where separate schools are required by law for separate population groups, to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable provisions shall be made for facilities and training of like quality.

Selection of trainees under the foregoing programs of training shall be based upon the existing and anticipated need for defense workers in occupations essential to the national defense.

Not to exceed an aggregate of \$4,000 of the amount appropriated in this title for traveling expenses may be used for expenses of attendance at meetings of educational associations and other organizations concerned with vocational education.

All appropriations for vocational education under the Office of Education in this Act shall be used exclusively for vocational education purposes.

The Commissioner may delegate to any officer in the Office of Education any of his powers or duties hereunder.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Division of Venereal Diseases: For the maintenance and expenses of the Division of Venereal Diseases, established by sections 3 and 4, chapter XV, of the Act approved July 9, 1918 (42 U. S. C. 24, 25), and for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act of May 24, 1938 (52 Stat. 439-440), including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health Service; purchase of reports, documents, and other material for publication and of reprints from State, city, and private publications; purchase (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles for official use in field work, \$12,367,000, of which not to exceed \$142,212 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

Grants to States for public-health work: For the purpose of assisting States, counties, health districts, and other political subdivisions of the States in establishing and maintaining adequate public-health services, including the training of personnel for State and local health work, as authorized in sections 601 and 602, title VI, of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended (49 Stat. 634), \$11,000,000.

Training for nurses (national defense): For carrying out the purposes of the Act of June 15, 1943 (Public Law 74, Seventy-eighth Congress), \$45,000,000, of which not to exceed \$650,000 shall be available for administrative expenses, including printing and binding; personal services in the District of Columbia; maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles; advertising in newspapers, magazines, and periodicals without regard to the Act of March 4, 1921 (42 U. S. C. 33); and items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health Service.

Interstate quarantine service: For cooperation with State and municipal health authorities in the prevention of the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in interstate traffic, including the purchase of one and maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles, \$28,000.

Prevention of epidemics: To enable the President, in case only of threatened or actual epidemic of infectious or contagious disease, to aid State and local boards or otherwise in his discretion, in preventing and suppressing the spread of the same and in such emergency in the execution of any quarantine laws which may be then in force, including the maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles, \$300,480.

Emergency health and sanitation activities (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the Surgeon General of the

Public Health Service to conduct independently or to assist State and local health authorities in health and sanitation activities (1) in areas adjoining military and naval reservations, (2) in areas where there are concentrations of military and naval forces, (3) in areas adjoining Government and private industrial plants engaged in defense work, and (4) in private industrial plants engaged in defense work, to provide emergency health and sanitation services in Government industrial plants engaged in defense work and in areas adjoining United States military and naval reservations outside the United States, and to perform the functions of the Public Health Service under the facility security program authorized by Executive Order Numbered 9165; such expenses to include personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, maintenance and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles, stationery, travel, printing and binding, the purchase of oils, larvicides, and other diluents without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, and items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses of the Public Health Service, \$9,729,000, of which not to exceed \$53,686 may be transferred to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

Pay of personnel and maintenance of hospitals: For medical examinations, including the amount necessary for the medical inspection of aliens, as required by section 16 of the Act of February 5, 1917 (8 U. S. C. 112), medical, surgical, and hospital services and supplies, including prosthetic and orthopedic supplies to be furnished under regulations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security Agency for beneficiaries (other than patients of the Veterans' Administration) of the Public Health Service and persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service under the quarantine or immigration laws and regulations, including necessary personnel and reserve commissioned officers of the Public Health Service, personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the furnishing and laundering of white duck coats, trousers, smocks, aprons, and caps to employees whose duties make necessary the wearing of same, maintenance, minor repairs, equipment, leases, fuel, lights, water, freight, transportation and travel, the maintenance and operation of motortrucks and passenger motor vehicles for use in field work and one for use in the District of Columbia, purchase of ambulances, transportation, care, maintenance, and treatment of lepers, including transportation to their homes in the continental United States of recovered indigent leper patients, court costs, and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, and reasonable burial expenses (not exceeding \$100 for any patient dying in hospital), \$10,510,700, of which sum not to exceed \$88,700 shall be available for the furnishing by the Public Health Service to and at the request of any Federal department or independent establishment, including Government-owned corporations, of coordinating and consultative services with respect to methods and standards for operating emergency health facilities in such department or establishment, including in-service training of such emergency health facility personnel, and for providing employees of such agencies (1) tuberculosis and psychiatric exam-

inations and (2) health and nutrition instruction through lectures and demonstrations, and for printing and binding and travel expenses in connection therewith: *Provided*, That the Immigration and Naturalization Service shall permit the Public Health Service to use the hospitals at Ellis Island Immigration Station for the care of Public Health Service patients free of expense for physical upkeep, but with a charge of actual cost of fuel, light, water, telephone, and similar supplies and services, to be covered into the proper Immigration Service appropriations; and money collected by the Immigration Service on account of hospital expenses of persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service under the immigration laws and regulations shall be covered into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts: *Provided further*, That no part of this sum shall be used for the quarantine service (except for persons detained in hospitals of the Public Health Service at points where no quarantine hospital facilities are available), the prevention of epidemics, or scientific work of the character provided for under other appropriations for the Public Health Service.

Division of mental hygiene: For carrying out the provisions of section 4 of the Act of June 14, 1930 (21 U. S. C. 196, 225); for maintenance and operation of the United States Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky, and the United States Public Health Service Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of January 19, 1929 (21 U. S. C. 221-237), including personal services in the District of Columbia (not to exceed \$23,982) and elsewhere; traveling expenses; firearms and ammunition; necessary supplies and equipment; reimbursement to the working capital fund for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities; subsistence and care of inmates; expenses incurred in pursuing and identifying escaped inmates, including rewards for their capture; expenses of interment or transporting remains of deceased inmates including the remains of persons voluntarily admitted; purchase and exchange of farm products and livestock; lawbooks, books of reference, and not to exceed \$100 for newspapers and periodicals; furnishing and laundering of uniforms and other distinctive wearing apparel necessary for employees in the performance of their official duties; transportation and subsistence allowance when necessary, within continental United States and under regulations approved by the Administrator of the Federal Security Agency, of persons voluntarily admitted and discharged as cured; tobacco for inmates; purchase (not to exceed two), maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, \$1,109,680, and the Surgeon General is authorized to utilize Government-owned automotive equipment in transporting, to and from school, children of Public Health Service personnel on duty at the Public Health Service hospitals at Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexington, Kentucky, who have quarters for themselves and their families on the station reservations.

Foreign quarantine service: For maintenance and ordinary expenses of United States quarantine stations and supplementary activities abroad, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the maintenance, repair, and operation of motortrucks and motor-propelled, passenger-carrying vehicles for official use in field work, \$1,250,000.

National Institute of Health: For necessary expenses, not appropriated for elsewhere, of the National Institute of Health, its branches and field offices, including maintenance of buildings; for regulating the propagation and sale of viruses, serums, toxins, and analogous products, including arsphenamines and other organic arsenic compounds therapeutically analogous thereto; for the preparation of curative and diagnostic products; and for carrying out the provisions of section 603 of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, and section 1 of the Act of August 14, 1912: such expenses to include personal and other services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the purchase, repair, and cleaning of uniforms for the guard force; items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health Service; the purchase (not to exceed two), maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles; and the purchase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and journals, \$2,025,020, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

States Relations Division: For all necessary expenses of the States Relations Division in connection with grants to States under title VI of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, including personal and other services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere and items otherwise properly chargeable to the appropriation for miscellaneous and contingent expenses for the Public Health Service, and the maintenance, repair, and operation of passenger-carrying automobiles, \$306,800, of which not to exceed \$95,000 may be transferred without limitation account to the appropriation "Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health Service".

National Cancer Institute: For carrying into effect the provisions of section 7 (b) of the National Cancer Institute Act, approved August 5, 1937, \$530,000, including the purchase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and journals.

Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth: For pay, allowance, and commutation of quarters for not to exceed five hundred and sixty-eight regular active commissioned officers (including the Surgeon General, Assistant to the Surgeon General, and assistant surgeons general) and for pay of regular commissioned officers on waiting orders, \$2,822,000: *Provided*, That the above limitation on the number of regular active commissioned officers may be exceeded by the number (not in excess of thirty) of regular active commissioned officers assigned to Federal penal and correctional institutions.

Salaries, Office of Surgeon General: For personal services, \$450,000.

Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: For miscellaneous and contingent expenses necessary for the work of the Public Health Service, including stationery supplies; operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying automobiles; contract stenographic reporting services; not to exceed \$4,500 for the preparation of public health exhibits, including personal services and the cost of acquiring, transporting, and displaying exhibit materials; packing, unpacking, crating, drayage, and transportation of personal effects of commissioned officers on transfer from one official station to another in the public interest when authorized by the Surgeon General in the order direct-

ing such transfer: not to exceed \$850 for lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals for the Office of the Surgeon General; nominal compensation of collaborating epidemiologists and others; and allowances for living quarters (not exceeding \$1,700 for any one person), including heat, fuel, and light, as authorized by the Act approved June 26, 1930 (5 U. S. C. 118a); \$195,000.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available for preparation for shipment and transportation to their former homes of remains of officers who die in line of duty.

SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Salaries and expenses: For support, clothing, and treatment in Saint Elizabeths Hospital of persons who have become insane since their entry into the armed forces of the United States, insane beneficiaries of the United States Employees' Compensation Commission, and all other insane persons whose admission to the hospital is authorized by law, including not exceeding \$27,000 for maintenance, repair, and operation of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, and not to exceed \$185,000 for repairs and improvements to buildings and grounds, and not to exceed \$15,000 for furnishing and laundering of such wearing apparel as may be prescribed for employees in the performance of their official duties, \$1,963,000, including cooperation with organizations or individuals in scientific research into the nature, causes, prevention, and treatment of mental illness, and including maintenance and operation of necessary facilities for feeding employees and others (at not less than cost), and the proceeds therefrom shall reimburse the appropriation for the institution; and not exceeding \$1,500 of this sum may be expended in the removal of patients to their friends; not exceeding \$1,500 for the purchase of such books, periodicals, and newspapers as may be required for the purposes of the hospital and for the medical library, and not exceeding \$1,500 for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the apprehension and return to the hospital of escaped patients: *Provided*, That so much of this sum as may be required shall be available for all necessary expenses in ascertaining the residence of inmates who are not or who cease to be properly chargeable to Federal maintenance in the institution and in returning them to such places of residence: *Provided further*, That not exceeding \$200 additional may be paid to two employees to provide mail facilities for patients in the hospital: *Provided further*, That during the fiscal year 1944 the District of Columbia, or any branch of the Government requiring Saint Elizabeths Hospital to care for patients for which they are responsible, shall pay by check to the Superintendent upon his written request, either in advance or at the end of each month, all or part of the estimated or actual cost of such maintenance, as the case may be, and bills rendered by the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital in accordance herewith shall not be subject to audit or certification in advance of payment; proper adjustments on the basis of the actual cost of the care of patients paid for in advance shall be made monthly or quarterly, as may be agreed upon between the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital and the District of Columbia government, department, or establishments concerned. All sums paid to the Superintendent of Saint

Elizabeths Hospital for the care of patients that he is authorized by law to receive shall be deposited to the credit on the books of the Treasury Department of the appropriation made for the care and maintenance of the patients at Saint Elizabeths Hospital for the year in which the support, clothing, and treatment is provided, and be subject to requisition upon the approval of the Superintendent of Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD

Grants to States for old-age assistance: For grants to States for assistance to aged needy individuals, as authorized in title I of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$325,000,000, of which sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such title I for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title I may be made with respect to any State plan approved under such title I by the Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

Grants to States for aid to dependent children: For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish financial assistance to needy dependent children, as authorized in title IV of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$65,000,000, of which sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such title IV for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title IV may be made with respect to any State plan approved under such title IV by the Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

Grants to States for aid to the blind: For grants to States for the purpose of enabling each State to furnish financial assistance to needy individuals who are blind, as authorized in title X of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, \$9,000,000, of which sum such amount as may be necessary shall be available for grants under such title X for any period in the fiscal year 1943 subsequent to March 31, 1943: *Provided*, That payments to States for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1943 and for any quarter in the fiscal year 1944 under such title X may be made with respect to any State plan approved under such title X by the Social Security Board prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for any period prior to the quarter in which such plan was submitted to the Board for approval.

The appropriations herein made for "Grants to States for old-age assistance", "Grants to States for aid to dependent children", and "Grants to States for aid to the blind", shall be available interchangeably for transfer of appropriations, but no such transfer shall be

made except upon approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

Salaries, Bureau of Public Assistance: For personal services in the Bureau of Public Assistance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, \$900,000.

Grants to States for unemployment compensation administration: For grants to States for unemployment compensation administration, as authorized in title III of the Social Security Act, approved August 14, 1935, as amended, including rentals in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, \$35,328,000, of which such amounts as may be agreed upon by the Board and the Postmaster General, shall be used for the payment, in such manner as said parties may jointly determine, of postage for the transmission of official mail matter in connection with the unemployment compensation administration of States receiving grants herefrom.

Salaries, Bureau of Employment Security: For personal services in the Bureau of Employment Security in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, \$750,000.

Salaries, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance: For personal services in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, \$17,000,000.

Salaries, offices of the Social Security Board: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of the Social Security Board and its several offices and bureaus, not otherwise appropriated for herein, \$3 250.000, including the salary of an executive director at the rate of \$9.500 per year.

Miscellaneous expenses, Social Security Board: For all expenses, not otherwise appropriated for, necessary to enable the Social Security Board to carry into effect the provisions of the Social Security Act as amended (42 U. S. C. 301-1305), including public instruction and information, and the procurement of information relating to the death of individuals entitled to benefits, receiving benefits, or upon whose death some other individual may become entitled to benefits, under title II of said Act, from proper State and local officials, including officials of the District of Columbia, Alaska, and Hawaii or individuals designated by such State and local officials, and as authorized by the Administrator for personal services on a piece-work basis or otherwise in connection with the procurement of such information without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the provisions of other laws applicable to the employment and compensation of officers and employees of the United States, which expenses shall include reproducing and photographic equipment; periodicals; purchase and exchange of lawbooks and books of reference; library membership fees or dues in organizations which issue publications to members only or to members at a lower price than to others, payments for which may be made in advance; alterations and repairs; purchase (not exceeding three), operation, maintenance, and repair of passenger-carrying automobiles; \$3,000,000.

If during the fiscal years 1943 or 1944 functions are transferred by the Federal Security Administrator from or between any of the said offices or bureaus, the Administrator may transfer from or between the appropriations herein made for salaries for the Social Security

Board the amounts necessary for personal services in connection with the functions so transferred.

Not to exceed 5 per centum of any of the foregoing appropriations for salaries for the Social Security Board may, subject to the approval of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget, be transferred by the Administrator to any other of such appropriations, but no appropriation may be increased more than 5 per centum thereby.

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Salaries, Office of the Administrator, \$143,000: *Provided*, That the salary of the Administrator shall be at the rate of \$12,000 per annum so long as the incumbent thereof is Chairman of the War Manpower Commission: *Provided further*, That of the sum herein appropriated the Administrator may expend not to exceed \$2,500 for temporary employment of persons, by contract or otherwise, for special services determined necessary by the Administrator, without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil-service and classification laws.

Community war services: For all expenses necessary to enable the Federal Security Administrator to carry out the functions transferred from the Office of Defense Health and Welfare Services by Executive Order Numbered 9338, dated April 29, 1943, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; the temporary employment of persons by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification laws; acceptance and utilization of voluntary and uncompensated services; printing and binding; maintenance, operation, and repair of passenger-carrying motor-propelled vehicles; and traveling expenses, including expenses, when specifically authorized by the Administrator, of attendance at meetings concerned with the purposes of this appropriation and payment of actual transportation and other necessary expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away from their homes in an advisory capacity to the Administrator without other compensation from the United States, \$1,670,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may transfer from this appropriation to appropriations available to any unit of the Federal Security Agency designated by him to perform any of the functions and duties transferred by Executive Order Numbered 9338 such sums as are necessary for the performance of such functions and duties by such other unit.

Salaries, Division of Personnel Supervision and Management, \$120,000.

Salaries, Chief Clerk's Division, \$280,000.

Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, \$531,380.

Miscellaneous expenses, Office of Administrator: For miscellaneous expenses of the Office of the Administrator in the District of Columbia and elsewhere (except printing and binding); examination of estimates for appropriations in the field; purchase and exchange of lawbooks, other books of reference, and periodicals; library membership fees or dues in organizations which issue publications to members only or to members at a lower price than to others, payment for which may be made in advance; and purchase, operation, maintenance,

nance, and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, \$75,000: *Provided*, That the Administrator may transfer to this appropriation from appropriations of the constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of duplicating materials required in performance of duplicating work for such constituent organizations.

The appropriation in this title for traveling expenses shall be available for the Office of the Administrator in an amount not to exceed \$1,500 for expenses of attendance at meetings or conventions concerned with the work of the Federal Security Agency, when specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator; and not to exceed \$1,000 for payment of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence of persons serving while away from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory capacity to the Federal Security Agency.

Traveling expenses, Federal Security Agency: For traveling expenses (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and constituent organizations thereof, including actual transportation expenses and not to exceed \$10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons serving, while away from their homes, without other compensation, in an advisory capacity to the Federal Security Agency; expenses, when specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator, of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the Federal Security Agency; and reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for travel performed by employees of the Federal Security Agency in privately owned automobiles and within the limits of their official stations, when engaged in the investigation of claims or the furnishing or securing of information concerning claims or wage records under title II of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C. 401-409), \$1,620,000: *Provided*, That all receipts from non-Federal agencies representing reimbursement for subsistence and other expenses of travel of employees of the Office of Education performing advisory functions to said agencies shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States to the credit of this appropriation: *Provided further*, That the Federal Security Administrator may hereafter delegate to such officers and employees as he may designate for the purpose all his authority in connection with the transfer of personnel and household goods and effects from one official station to another.

Printing and binding, Federal Security Agency: For printing and binding (not appropriated for elsewhere) for the Federal Security Agency and all bureaus, boards, and constituent organizations thereof, including the purchase of reprints of scientific and technical articles published in periodicals and journals, \$900,000, of which \$567,700 shall be solely for printed forms, tabulating cards, and tabulating forms in the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

In order that the Administrator may effectuate reorganization plans submitted and approved pursuant to the Reorganization Act of 1939, he may transfer to the foregoing appropriations under this title from funds available for administrative expenses of the constituent units of the Federal Security Agency such sums as represent a consolidation in the Office of the Administrator of any of the administrative functions of said constituent units: *Provided*, That

no such transfer of funds shall be made unless the consolidation of administrative functions will result in a reduction of administrative salary and other expenses and such reduction is accompanied by savings in funds appropriated to the Federal Security Agency, which savings shall not be expended for any other purpose but shall be impounded and returned to the Treasury.

The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer to the constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency from appropriations for traveling expenses and printing and binding, Federal Security Agency, such amounts as the Administrator may request; amounts so transferred shall be set up on the books of the Treasury under suitable titles and shall be available for the same purposes and subject to the same limitations as the appropriations from which transferred: *Provided*, That balances of any amounts so transferred, or any part of such balances shall, upon request of the Administrator, be retransferred to the appropriations for traveling expenses and printing and binding, Federal Security Agency.

None of the moneys appropriated by this Act to the Social Security Board or to the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor for grants-in-aid of State agencies to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said agencies of any States which have established by legislative enactment and have in operation a merit system and classification and compensation plan covering the selection, tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, because of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the rates of pay of said officers or employees.

This title may be cited as the "Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE III—EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses: For personal services in the District of Columbia, including not to exceed \$1,000 for temporary experts and assistants in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, to be paid at a rate not exceeding \$8 per day, and for personal services in the field; for furniture and other equipment and repairs thereto; lawbooks, books of reference, periodicals; stationery and supplies; traveling expenses; fees and mileage of witnesses; contract stenographic reporting services; rent in the District of Columbia for the administration of the Act of May 17, 1928 (45 Stat. 600); and miscellaneous items; \$837,000.

Salaries and expenses, military bases (national defense): For all necessary expenses of the Employees' Compensation Commission in administering the Act of August 16, 1941 (55 Stat. 622), making applicable the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 U. S. C. 901) to military, air, and naval bases outside continental United States, including personal services in the District of Columbia; lawbooks, books of reference, and periodicals; printing and binding; fees and mileage of witnesses; stenographic reporting services, by contract or otherwise; purchase, maintenance, operation, and repair of motor-propelled or horse-drawn passenger-carrying

vehicles for use in the field; \$25,000, together with the unexpended balance of appropriation for this purpose for the fiscal year 1943: *Provided*, That section 3709, Revised Statutes, shall not apply to any purchase or service outside continental United States when the unit aggregate amount involved does not exceed \$500.

Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the Employees' Compensation Commission, \$17,000.

Employees' compensation fund: For the payment of compensation provided by "An Act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 785), including medical examinations, traveling and other expenses, and loss of wages payable to employees under sections 21 and 22; all services, appliances, and supplies provided by section 9 as amended, including payments to Army, Navy, and Veterans' Administration hospitals; the transportation and burial expenses provided by sections 9 and 11; and advancement of costs for the enforcement of recoveries provided in sections 26 and 27 where necessary, accruing during the fiscal year 1944 or in prior fiscal years, \$6,850,000.

For the payment of compensation benefits (including the advancement of costs for the enforcement of third party recoveries, and payments to other Federal agencies for medical and hospital services) authorized by the Act of February 15, 1934 (5 U. S. C. 796), extending the Act of September 7, 1916 (5 U. S. C. 751), to persons rendering services as employees of the United States pursuant to said Act of February 15, 1934, the Act of June 19, 1934 (48 Stat. 1056), and the several emergency relief and National Youth Administration appropriation Acts and to veterans and other persons included under title V of the Act of June 29, 1936 (49 Stat. 2035), there is hereby reappropriated the unexpended balance of the appropriation "Employees' compensation fund emergency relief, 1943", and of such special funds as have heretofore been established in the Treasury pursuant to such Acts, of which \$435,820 shall be available for administrative expenses of the Employees' Compensation Commission of which latter sum not to exceed \$75,000 may be added to the appropriation in this Act for salaries and expenses. United States Employees' Compensation Commission: *Provided*, That the Commission shall furnish medical and hospital services and treatment and burial expenses, including transportation and other expenses incidental to such services, treatment and burial, to such enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps who may be certified by the Director of such corps as receiving hospital services and treatment at Government expense on June 30, 1913, and who are not entitled thereto under the Act of September 7, 1916, as amended and extended, and the limitations and authority of the Act of September 7, 1916, as amended, shall apply in providing such services, treatment, and expenses.

This title may be cited as the "Employees' Compensation Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE IV—NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Salaries: For three Board members of the National Labor Relations Board and other personal services of the Board in the District of

Columbia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed by law, \$1,715,000.

Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all authorized and necessary expenditures, other than salaries, of the National Labor Relations Board in performing duties imposed by law or in pursuance of law, including repairs and alterations; communication services; contract stenographic reporting services; lawbooks; books of reference; periodicals; and operation, maintenance, and repair of one automobile, \$478,000.

Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and elsewhere, \$220,000.

Salaries and expenses (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the National Labor Relations Board to perform the duties imposed upon it by law or in pursuance of law in connection with disputes involving labor in industries under the national defense program, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, and other items otherwise properly chargeable to appropriations of the National Labor Relations Board for miscellaneous expenses and printing and binding, \$600,000. No part of the funds appropriated in this title shall be used in any way in connection with a complaint case arising over an agreement between management and labor which has been in existence for three months or longer without complaint being filed: *Provided*, That, hereafter, notice of such agreement shall have been posted in the plant affected for said period of three months, said notice containing information as to the location at an accessible place of such agreement where said agreement shall be open for inspection by any interested person.

This title may be cited as the "National Labor Relations Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE V—NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

For three members of the Board, and for other authorized expenditures of the National Mediation Board in performing the duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic reporting services; supplies and equipment; not to exceed \$200 for books of reference, and periodicals, \$184,500, of which amount not to exceed \$138,790 may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

Salaries and expenses, emergency panels, and so forth, National Mediation Board: For all necessary expenses of the National Railway Labor panel, including compensation of the members thereof at not to exceed \$50 per day and \$6 per diem in lieu of subsistence on such days as they are actually engaged in performance of the duties of the panel; travel expenses of members of the panel, including such expenses to and from their homes or regular places of business; printing and binding; contract stenographic reporting services; and personal services in the District of Columbia to enable the chairman of said panel to perform his functions under Executive Order Numbered 9299, \$50,000.

Arbitration and emergency boards: To enable the National Mediation Board to pay necessary expenses of arbitration boards, and emergency boards appointed by the President pursuant to section 10 of the Railway Labor Act approved May 20, 1926 (45 U. S. C. 160), including compensation of members and employees of such boards,

together with their necessary traveling expenses and expenses actually incurred for subsistence while so employed, and printing of awards, together with proceedings and testimony relating thereto, as authorized by the Railway Labor Act, including also contract stenographic reporting service, and rent of quarters when suitable quarters cannot be supplied in any Federal building, the unexpended balance of previous appropriations for these purposes shall be available.

Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for the National Mediation Board, \$2,500.

NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

Salaries and expenses: For authorized expenditures of the National Railroad Adjustment Board, in performing the duties imposed by law, including contract stenographic reporting services and supplies and equipment, \$235,500, of which \$62,500 shall be available only for compensation not in excess of \$50 per day and expenses of referees, and not more than \$118,680 for other personal services.

Printing and binding: For all printing and binding for the National Railroad Adjustment Board, \$17,500.

This title may be cited as the "National Mediation Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE VI—RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Salaries: For personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere necessary in performing the duties imposed by law, \$2,030,000.

Miscellaneous expenses (other than salaries): For all necessary expenditures, other than salaries and printing and binding, of the Railroad Retirement Board in performing the duties imposed by law, including rent in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; traveling expenses, including not to exceed \$1,000 for expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the work of the Board when specifically authorized by the Board; not to exceed \$2,500 for payment of actual transportation and per diem (not to exceed \$10) in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of persons serving while away from their homes without other compensation in an advisory capacity to the Railroad Retirement Board; repairs and alterations; contract stenographic reporting services; other fees and compensation; supplies and equipment (including photographic equipment); not to exceed \$5,000 for lawbooks, books of reference, periodicals, and for payment in advance when authorized by the Board for library membership in organizations which issue publications to members only or to members at a price lower than to the general public; operation, maintenance, and repair of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles; and expenses incident to moving the office of the Board from one building to another, \$490,000.

Printing and binding: For printing and binding for the Railroad Retirement Board, \$34,000.

Railroad retirement account: For an amount sufficient as an annual premium for the payments required under the Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, and the Railroad Retirement Act,

approved June 24, 1937, and authorized to be appropriated to the railroad retirement account established under section 15 (a) of the latter Act, \$262,720,000, of which \$20,774,000 shall be immediately available: *Provided*, That such total amount shall be available until expended for making payments required under said retirement Acts, and the amount not required for current payments shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury in accordance with the provisions of said Railroad Retirement Act of June 24, 1937.

This title may be cited as the "Railroad Retirement Board Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE VII—EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT— OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

WAR MANPOWER COMMISSION

General administration: For all necessary expenses for the general administration of the War Manpower Commission, including not to exceed \$10,000 for the employment of aliens, not to exceed \$160,000 for printing and binding, and not to exceed \$1,098,214 for travel expenses, \$11,000,000.

APPRENTICE TRAINING SERVICE

Apprentice training service: For all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training, including printing and binding (not to exceed \$3,000), and travel expenses (not to exceed \$100,000), \$475,500.

Apprentice training service (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission to conduct a program of encouraging apprentice training in national defense industries, including printing and binding (not to exceed \$15,000), and travel expenses (not to exceed \$161,000), \$600,000.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Employment office facilities and services: For all necessary expenses of the War Manpower Commission in connection with the operation and maintenance of employment office facilities and services, and the performance of functions, duties, and powers relating to employment service transferred to the War Manpower Commission by Executive Order Numbered 9247, including the recruitment and placement of individuals for work or training in occupations essential to the war effort; such expenses to include contract janitorial services, at not to exceed \$300 for any individual; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately owned automobiles within the limits of their official station; printing and binding (not to exceed \$265 000); travel expenses (not to exceed \$2,098,000); and rent in the District of Columbia: *Provided*, That payment of salaries may be made to employees while taking annual and sick leave based upon unused leave accrued under State regulations found by the Social Security Board to conform to the requirements of title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and on the basis

of State employment which had been financed in whole or in part from grants under title III of said Act, including payment for accrued leave to be substituted for leave without pay taken between January 1, 1942, and June 30, 1942, which payment shall not exceed in any case the amount payable for such purposes under Federal laws with respect to the maximum accumulation of such leave: *Provided further*, That the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission may transfer funds from this appropriation to the Social Security Board for "grants to States for unemployment compensation administration" as authorized in title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, to meet costs incurred by States in making available to the War Manpower Commission premises, equipment, supplies, facilities, and services, needed by the Commission in the operation and maintenance of employment office facilities and services, any sum so transferred and not expended in accordance with this proviso to be retransferred to this appropriation, \$47,500,000: *Provided further*, That pending the return to State control after the war emergency of the Employment Service facilities, property, and personnel loaned by the States to the United States Employment Service, no portion of the sum herein appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for any salary, to any individual engaged in employment-service duties in any position within any local or field or State office, which substantially exceeds the salary which would apply to such position and individual if the relevant State merit system applied and if State operation of such office had continued without interruption: *Provided further*, That no portion of the sum herein appropriated shall be expended by any Federal agency for the salary of any person who is engaged for more than half of the time, as determined by the State director of unemployment compensation, in the administration of the State unemployment compensation act, including claims taking but excluding registration for work.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

For all necessary expenses to enable the National Youth Administrator to provide for the liquidation of the National Youth Administration and the conservation and disposition of all the property of whatever type (including buildings, accessories, equipment, and machinery of all types), in use by said National Youth Administration, including the personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; payment for accrued annual leave of employees separated from the Government service due to the discontinuance of the National Youth Administration operations, and such travel and other necessary expenses as may be incurred in connection with the liquidation of the National Youth Administration from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made to the National Youth Administration in the "Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act of 1943" not exceeding \$3,000,000: *Provided*, That said liquidation shall be completed as quickly as possible, but in any event not later than January 1, 1944.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM

Salaries and expenses, Selective Service System, War Manpower Commission: For all expenses necessary for the operation and

maintenance of the Selective Service System as authorized by the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 (50 U. S. C. App. 301); including not to exceed \$640,000 for printing and binding; \$51,856,000: *Provided*, That such amounts as may be necessary shall be available for the planning, directing, and operation of a program of work of national importance under civilian direction, either independently or in cooperation with governmental or nongovernmental agencies, and the assignment and delivery thereto of individuals found to be conscientiously opposed to participation in work of the land or naval forces, which cooperation with other agencies may include the furnishing of funds to and acceptance of money, services, or other forms of assistance from such nongovernmental agencies for the more effectual accomplishment of the work; and including also the pay and allowances of such individuals at rates not in excess of those paid to persons inducted into the Army under the Selective Service System, and such privileges as are accorded such inductees: *Provided further*, That the travel of persons engaged in the administration of the Selective Service System, including commissioned, warrant, or enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or their reserve components, may be ordered by the Director or by such persons as he may authorize, and persons so traveling shall be entitled to transportation and subsistence or per diem in lieu of subsistence, at rates authorized by law: *Provided further*, That the Director of Selective Service, in prescribing per diem rates of allowance, not exceeding \$6. in lieu of subsistence for officers of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and of the reserve components thereof, traveling on official business and away from their designated posts of duty, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 12 of the Act approved June 16, 1942 (37 U. S. C. 112), is hereby authorized to prescribe such per diem rates of allowance, whether or not orders are given to such officers for travel to be performed repeatedly between two or more places in the same vicinity, and without regard to the length of time away from their designated posts of duty under such orders.

TRAINING-WITHIN-INDUSTRY SERVICE

Training-within-industry service, War Manpower Commission (national defense): For all expenses necessary to enable the Chairman of the War Manpower Commission to promote and facilitate on-the-job training and maximum utilization of workers by industries and activities essential to the war by affording training to supervisory personnel; including the temporary employment of persons by contract or otherwise without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes and the civil service and classification laws; reimbursement, at not to exceed 3 cents per mile, for official travel performed by employees in privately owned automobiles within the limits of their official stations; printing and binding (not to exceed \$50,000); and travel expenses (not to exceed \$300,440), \$1,686,000.

SEC. 702. The general provisions under the caption "Executive Office of the President—Office for Emergency Management", contained in the National War Agencies Appropriation Act, 1944, and applicable to the constituent agencies of the Office for Emergency Management contained therein shall be applicable in the same manner

to the War Manpower Commission and the appropriations therefor contained in this title.

SEC. 703. This title may be cited as the "War Manpower Commission Appropriation Act, 1944".

TITLE VIII—GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 801. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any position for which he or she has been nominated after the Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said person.

SEC. 802. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence and accepts employment the salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*, That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

SEC. 803. No part of any appropriation for training of defense workers contained in this Act shall be available for obligation for a period longer than sixty days after cessation of hostilities in the present war.

SEC. 804. The appropriations and authority with respect to appropriations contained herein shall be available from and including July 1, 1943, for the purposes respectively provided in such appropriations and authority. All obligations incurred during the period between June 30, 1943, and the date of the enactment of this Act in anticipation of such appropriations and authority are hereby ratified and confirmed if in accordance with the terms thereof.

SEC. 805. This Act may be cited as the "Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1944".

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